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## CHAUTAUQUA FOR HARTFORD COMING

Date Has Been Set For  
August 7, 8 and 9.

## SPLENDID PROGRAM ARRANGED

And the Public Will Be Afforded  
Fine Series Of Enter-  
tainments.

## WORTHY GENEROUS PATRONAGE

The people of this community should rejoice in the fact that this summer we are to have a Chautauqua of our own. Many of our citizens have during previous summers attended Chautauquas in the larger cities nearby and they are very enthusiastic over the realization that this year they can enjoy the same kind of a program without going away from home.

The local committee which was instrumental in bringing the Chautauqua to Hartford this year assures us that the program will be of the same high character as that provided for the larger Chautauquas, the only difference being in the length of the program.

The movement was started some time ago when a representative of the Welfare Chautauqua visited our town and presented the proposition to a number of our public spirited citizens. The opportunity presented for affording the people of our community a chance to enjoy the splendid lectures and musical entertainment was one that could not be overlooked and our business and professional men were practically unanimous in deciding at once to put Hartford on the map with other enterprising towns that provide wholesome and inspiring entertainment of this kind for their citizens.

All arrangements have been made to assure the event being a success in every way and every man, woman and child in the community should give the movement the support it deserves by talking it to friends, buying a season ticket and attending all of the six sessions.

The following local committees have been organized to carry out the details of the management: Chairman of Committee in General Charge, James H. Williams; Treasurer, J. C. Her; Secretary, C. O. Hunter; Committee on Grounds, Marvin Bean; Committee on Publicity, W. H. Barnes; Committee on Ticket Selling, E. G. Barrows.

The Chautauqua will be held in a large tent furnished by the Chautauqua management, which will be situated in the lot just in the rear of Dr. E. W. Ford's office, Main street, Hartford. The platform, seats and piano will be provided by our local committees.

The program itself is a most interesting one. Space will not permit giving details regarding it in this issue, but it can be stated in a general way that there will be six inspirational and instructive lectures supplemented by six musical concerts and other entertainment of the highest order.

The program and other advertising material has been received by the Committee on Publicity and the posters, banners, etc., are now being put up in conspicuous places.

Buy a season ticket! Be a "booster"—not a "knocker"—and show your public spirit by doing everything in your power to make this the one big event of the year in this community.

## ASKS FOOD CARRIAGE FOR STARVING POLAND

Washington, July 22.—Personal messages were sent by President Wilson to-day to European rulers urging their co-operation in getting food supplies from the United States to the starving people of Poland.

Efforts in the same direction directed through the State department to the foreign offices of the countries involved have met with failure. The President desires that France, Great Britain and Russia allow the passage of the foodstuffs, and that Germany and Austria-Hungary guarantee that the food will be given to the civilian population, and not seized by the armies of occupation. The messages, which are identical,

are addressed to the king of England, the president of France, the emperor of Russia, the emperor of Germany and the emperor of Austria-Hungary.

It is understood that no definite plan is suggested, though the President intimates that the United States would be glad to foster such a relief organization in Poland as has been maintained with such success in Belgium.

## JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY DEAD AT THE AGE OF 63

Indianapolis, Ind., July 22.—James Riley died to-night. While his death was unexpected, the famous poet has been in ill health for some time.

His death was due to paralysis. He suffered a violent stroke this morning and members of the household were greatly alarmed, but the poet seemed to improve later in the day. Information was given to the public that the poet's life was in no danger, but within a few hours he was dead.

Born at Greenfield, Ind., in 1853, Mr. Riley was sixty-three years old at the time of his death.

Publications of books of poems year after year brought Riley a fortune and wide recognition of literary genius.

In July 1911, the poet presented to the city of Indianapolis property valued at \$75,000 for a site for a public library and school administration building.

Mr. Riley never married but he was a lover of children, whose spirit he interpreted so intimately, and of family life. Many of the last years of his life he spent quietly at his home in a secluded section of Indianapolis.

## MILLIONAIRE'S SON ON BIRTH-CONTROL CHARGE

Boston, Mass., July 22.—Van Kleeck Allison, formerly a Columbia University student, was sentenced to three years in jail here to-day by Judge Murray, of the Municipal Court, on a charge of distributing birth-control pamphlets. Allison's adherents were thunderstruck when the sentence was announced. He is the son of a New York millionaire.

District Attorney Pelletier himself handled the prosecution, an almost unheard of thing for the Municipal Court, and it was expected, even by Allison, that Judge Murray would find him guilty on the charge on which he was arraigned, that of distributing obscene literature. Allison, the Fabians and the society women who favored his cause, were shocked by the sentence.

Girls from a chocolate factory said that Allison had given birth-control pamphlets to them. He denied their statements, but admitted discussing birth-control with some married women, and giving a pamphlet to a policeman who told him a pathetic story.

Pelletier said that the birth control pamphlets were "rotten through and through."

## THE PROHIBITIONISTS NAME NATIONAL TICKET

St. Paul, July 21.—The Prohibition National Convention, which has been in session here since Wednesday morning, adjourned this afternoon at 3:30 to-day after nominating J. Frank Hanly, former Governor of Indiana, as candidate for President of the United States, and Dr. Ira D. Landrith, of Nashville, Tenn., candidate for Vice President. Dr. Landrith's nomination was made unanimous after the other Vice Presidential candidates had withdrawn.

Mr. Hanly's nomination came on the first ballot and followed a number of hurried conferences between advocates of the candidacy of William Sulzer, former Governor of New York, and several brief demonstrations in the latter's behalf, which, however, were offset by the outbursts of enthusiasm that followed every mention of Mr. Hanly's name.

## Forty Killed By Storm.

Mexico City, July 22.—Forty persons, including a number of soldiers and women, were killed during a very severe lightning and rainstorm in the suburbs of Mexico City Thursday. Most of the deaths occurred at San Gregorio, Atlapulco and near Xochimilco.

The excursion steamer Keyport, with 310 passengers aboard, sank in New York harbor just off the Battery Saturday. Everybody was saved.

## A TIMED BOMB CREATES HAVOC

And Brings Death To 4—  
Many Injured.

## WAS CONCEALED IN SUIT CASE

Cartridges and Scrap Iron Rend  
Crowd Viewing Big Prepara-  
edness Parade.

## MARCHING WENT STEADILY ON

San Francisco, July 22.—At least four persons were killed and forty-four were injured by the explosion here to-day of a timed bomb in the midst of a throng viewing a preparedness parade.

The police arrested Frank Josephson, a lodger in a sailors' boardinghouse, who cried "I didn't do it, I didn't do it," and trembled violently when he was being searched at the stationhouse. The police said he had not been accused of anything.

Charles M. Fickert, District Attorney, issued a statement attributing the deed to a mind unbalanced by arguments for and against preparedness. The parade was not interrupted.

The explosion occurred at Steuart and Market streets, two blocks from the Ferry building on San Francisco's main thoroughfare. The bomb, concealed in a suit case packed with cartridges, bullets, gas pipe, glass and scrap iron, blew a gap through the crowd, blasting men, women, children and babies.

The one-story brick building against which the suit case stood was wrecked.

The holiday throng, cheering a contingent of veterans of the First California Infantry of the Spanish-American war, became a shambles. The blast of fifty pounds and the roar of drums drowned the cries of the injured, but the sidewalk was strewn with torn bodies.

The bomb sprayed the crowd with shrapnel. Dozens of shells sprinkled the ground nearby, and the effective ones did most of the damage. The bomb, made of nails, cartridges and dynamite, was placed in front of a saloon before which hundreds of persons were crowded. The building was wrecked and stores across the street nearly demolished. Persons cut, half blinded, ran madly through the crowd, and others panic-stricken, stumbled over the dead and injured, piling up heaps on the street.

Blood and flesh spattered across the sidewalk and among the spectators made a hideous spectacle. Many persons collapsed or fought their way out.

Josephson, the suspect, was arrested while making a speech after the explosion in which he is said to have lauded anarchy and declared: "This is nothing."

After his arrest, however, he said that he is not an anarchist and denied having any knowledge of the bomb explosion. The handle of the suit case which contained the explosives, together with part of the lock and pieces of clockwork were picked up near the scene.

"Two women standing beside me were blown to bits," said Mrs. Kinsey Van Loom, of Oakland, who, with her two children, was injured. The police say it is possible that some bodies were blown out of existence.

All the newspaper offices in San Francisco yesterday received a communication written in Roman script with an indelible pencil, many of the words being heavily underscored. The communication was signed: "The determined exiles from militaristic government. Italy, Germany, United States, Italy, Russia, Russia." In several instances the writer repeated himself.

The communication read in part: "Editor: Our protests have been in vain in regards to this preparedness propaganda, so we are going to use a little direct action on the 22d, which will echo around the earth and show that Frisco really knows how and that militarism cannot be forced on us and our children without a violent protest."

It isn't every man who can rise in the world and keep his balance.

## JOHN D.'S FORTUNE IS \$1,000,000,000

Balance Sheet Shows Up  
Accordingly.

## GIFTS LESS THAN HIS INCOME

Variations In Stock Market Cause  
Fortune to Fluctuate \$1,  
000,000 a Day.

## MR. ROCKEFELLER IS NOW 77

Cleveland, O., July 22.—Information of the existence of a balance sheet compiled on the occasion of John D. Rockefeller's seventy-seventh birthday, showing that his private fortune, exclusive of endowment funds and other benefactions, exceeds a billion dollars, is said to be in possession of the authorities of Cuyahoga county.

The existence of the balance sheet, indicating that Mr. Rockefeller's fortune exceeds that of any man in the world, and, indeed, in the history of the world, was discovered in the search for evidence to present in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in the forthcoming attempt of Cuyahoga county to force Mr. Rockefeller to pay taxes on holdings of more than three hundred million dollars. Mr. Rockefeller obtained an injunction in the United States District Court in Cleveland preventing the enforcement of tax collection on the holdings in October, 1915, and in December of the same year Cuyahoga county filed an appeal in the United States Circuit Court.

Since then county authorities have been endeavoring to obtain evidence that Mr. Rockefeller was a legal resident of Cleveland. He is now at his home here, and on July 9 celebrated his seventy-seventh birthday. It was about that time, it is understood, that a balance sheet containing the extent and the varied amounts of his holdings was presented to him. The balance sheet, according to authentic information, indicated that the Rockefeller fortune had exceeded \$1,000,000,000 and steadily was mounting upward; so rapidly, in fact, that with all of his enormous benefactions, Mr. Rockefeller was unable to dispose of the income.

Of the enormous total nearly \$500,000,000 represents Mr. Rockefeller's holdings in the various Standard Oil companies and their subsidiaries. He holds approximately 247,962 shares out of a total of 883,383 shares issued in all of the companies. The stock is now quoted around \$1,700, about three times what it was before the Federal courts issued an order dissolving the great corporation into independent companies.

The balance of Mr. Rockefeller's fortune, it is understood, is shown to be in enormous holdings in various railway and banking corporations, the United States Steel corporation, and in national, municipal, State and in foreign bond issues. Among his holdings, it is recorded, there are \$10,000,000 of Anglo-French war bonds, floated here last year by the Allied Commission.

Naturally, with such an amazing accumulation of wealth, the variations of the stock market day by day increase or decrease the fortune by a million or more dollars. Since the compilation of the schedule in June, immediately succeeding the announcement that the half-year's gifts of the Rockefeller Foundation—merely one of his projects—were more than three million dollars, the fortune is said to have shown a great increase. That is because of the steadily upward trend of various stocks because of the enlivened commerce of the country.

Neither Mr. Rockefeller nor his son, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., are engaged actively in business. Since 1910, when their joint benefactions first began to loom large in the generosity of the world, eclipsing those of Andrew Carnegie, it is estimated that the Rockefellers have given away approximately \$200,000,000. The most conspicuous of the benefactions have been the General Education Board, which has received about \$60,000,000; University of Chicago, to which has been given \$25,000,000; Rockefeller In-

stitute for Medical Research, \$10,000,000; Rush Medical College, \$6,000,000; missions of the Baptist church at home and abroad, \$2,000,000; to various colleges and universities in the United States including Yale, Harvard, Barnard, Union Theological Seminary, of New York, the Baptist and the Southern Education Fund about \$30,000,000; the Young Men's Christian Association, \$1,000,000; to various hospitals and medical colleges, \$20,000,000; for juvenile reform work, \$3,000,000; and to Cleveland for betterment purposes, \$2,000,000.

Since the war in Europe the Rockefeller Foundation has given about \$10,000,000 for relief work of a wide and varied character, but, despite the great demands, the income accruing from the endowment fund, it is said, is not entirely used up. The Rockefeller Foundation, organized, in the words of Mr. Rockefeller, "for the good of mankind," will probably be the disburser of this greatest of existing fortunes. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is the chief administrator of the great fund. The organization which will use the wealth has the following for its avowed purpose:

"To make this vast force a living organism, which will have the freedom of a live thing to give aid swiftly and largely when aid is most needed, not a mere accident of death that may set the money free for certain limited uses. No man can foresee the needs of ten, twenty or fifty years from now. The Foundation is limited only by the field of human civilization and human need. It will be a great clearing-house for humanitarian effort all over the world."

## WATCH THIS SQUARE.

A blue X in this square indicates that your subscription to The Herald is past due and requests that you settle same at once. Notice the date opposite your name on the little yellow slip. This shows how you stand. All subscriptions are due in advance. Please give this your prompt attention.

## STATE TICKET CHOSEN BY THE PROGRESSIVES

Indianapolis, July 21.—The Progressive party in convention here yesterday adopted a platform and nominated a complete State ticket after Jackson Lloyd, former State chairman and chairman of the Resolutions Committee, has resigned his membership in the party, because the convention refused to consider a resolution opposing the nomination of a State ticket.

After the convention had ratified the nomination of James B. Wilson, of Bloomington, for the United States Senate, long term, made at the March primary, the following candidates were chosen by acclamation:

United States Senate—Short term: Clifford F. Jackson, Huntington.

Governor—Thomas A. Daily, Indianapolis.

Lieutenant Governor—M. J. Bowman, Vandalia.

Secretary of State—James M. Zou, Clark's Hill.

Auditor—W. C. Camp, Washington.

Attorney General—John L. Kingsbury, Indianapolis.

Treasurer—Ward H. Smith, Otterbein.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction—Claude Rankin, Orleans.

Statistician—E. C. Green, New-castle.

Reporter of Supreme Court—E. E. Pryor, Martinsville.

Judges of Supreme Court—Second district, J. Oscar Hall, Shelbyville; Third district, Elias D. Salesbury, Indianapolis.

Judges of Appellate Court—Northern Division, Willis E. Roe, East Chicago; Southern division, Joseph E. Henely, Bloomington.

Sixty-One Vessels Sunk.

Berlin, July 20.—An official statement issued to-night says: "In the month of June, 61 of the enemy's merchantmen, measuring about 101,000 tons, were sunk by German and Austro-Hungarian submarines or by mines."

For the remainder of this week we will sell our 4-burner New Process Oil Stove complete for only \$18. Our 3-burner at \$14.

ACTON BROS.,  
Hartford, Ky.

## NAVAL MEASURE PASSES SENATE

Calls For Building Of 66  
Vessels At Once

## AND 157 IN NEXT THREE YEARS

Carries Nearly Forty-Six Mil-  
lions More Expense Than  
the House Bill.

## BILL IS SENT TO CONFERENCE

Washington, July 22.—The naval appropriation bill with a three-year building program, including the immediate construction of four dreadnaughts, four battle cruisers, and fifty-eight other craft, passed the Senate by a vote of 71 to 5. It carries more than \$215,000,000 and more than \$45,000,000 above the total as the measure passed the House.

Many proposals to curtail the enormous building increases written into the measure by the Senate Naval Committee were defeated overwhelmingly. As soon as the final passage was announced the Senate voted to insist upon its amendments and ordered the bill sent to conference and a long struggle is in prospect before an agreement is reached. Two Democrats, Thomas and Vandeman, and six Republicans, Clapp, Curtis, Gronna, Ladd, Norris and Works, voted against the bill.

The seven-hour speech by Lodge and the clash between Senators Reed and Oliver over the proposal to print as a public document the Bethlehem Steel Company's argument against the Government armor plant delayed the passage of the bill.

Senators Tillman, Swanson and Lodge were appointed the conferees upon the bill. The House will choose its conferees Tuesday. Daily sessions probably will be held thereafter by the conferees.

Administration leaders regard as practically certain that the conference between the committees of the two Houses will result in the authorization of not less than four battle cruisers and two dreadnaughts to be contracted for immediately. The House bill provides for only five battle cruisers.

The Senate bill calls for the immediate construction of thirty-six vessels of all classes and 157 in the next three years. The House bill provides no continuous program, but authorized the immediate construction of seventy-two ships of all classes. The Senate bill follows almost to the letter the recommendations of the navy general board. The three-year program will call for the expenditure of \$588,000,000. Of the total appropriation in the present bill \$110,000,000 is to start the work authorized.

## SEBALD IS ACQUITTED ON CHARGE OF MURDER

Calhoun, Ky., July 22.—After a deliberation of ten minutes the jury empaneled to try Ivo Sebald, accused of murdering Lloyd Higgs last November, returned a verdict of acquittal. The verdict was reached on the first ballot.

The accused pleaded self defense in justification of his action. From the testimony adduced at the trial the deceased had been heard to have made threats against Sebald. On the day of the tragedy at a meeting between Higgs and Sebald, according to the proof, Higgs began again abusing the defendant. The altercation culminated in Higgs shooting Sebald through the left arm, the bullet entering the left side. It was then Sebald shot and killed his assailant.

## Hunted Nineteen Years.

Frankfort, Ky., July 22.—Milton Franklin, who escaped jail in Floyd county 19 years ago, while under a life sentence for killing A. W. Stafford, voluntarily appeared at the Reformatory to-day and surrendered. He was pardoned almost immediately after being by Gov. Stanley. He has been living out of the State under an assumed name and it is understood has been successful, but he declined to say where or under what name.

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Mr. W. G. Duncan's Catch While In Florida.



Caught by Mr. W. G. Duncan, of Greenville, Ky., while on a fishing trip at Boca Grande Pass, Florida. This catch was made on the 12th of June, 1916, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 12 o'clock, noon. He landed it during his short stay there.

HETTY GREEN, THE WOMAN FINANCIER

Fought Men From New England To Texas.

POSSESSED UNUSUAL ABILITY

The Game Of Getting Even With a Chicago Judge and a Relative.

"JUST A POOR, LONE WOMAN"

(Boston News Bureau.)

Hetty Green did not die the richest woman in the world, as alleged in some newspapers. For many years she had not been in good health and had not husbanded her properties. She was born under influences which made her a miser. She wore men's high top hats and had more financial sense in them than most men. She was truly feminine at heart, but veiled her femininity with faded garments and frayed cloak, under which she schemed and fought both as man and woman. She was New England born and often sought advice in Boston. The advice she wanted was not financial, for, like all true financiers, Hetty Green listened and acted and never sought the guidance of anybody in financial affairs. The advice she wanted was usually how she could whip somebody and then how she could whip her lawyers, for she was averse to anybody naming the figure which she should pay for any service.

She fought from New England through New York, Chicago and St. Louis to Texas. When somebody wanted to get away with a railroad in Texas, they found Hetty Green on the spot. She redeemed the road, set it going and won the cheers of the Texans.

When she felt that an unrighteous decision had been rendered against her in Chicago she bided her time. Then, when money was ungettable in Wall street, Hetty Green had it to loan. When the Clearing-house Committee appealed to her she remarked, with a nonchalant air, that she was just a poor lone woman and did not know much about investments, but did the Clearing-house hold for the banks any demand loans of railroads terminating in Chicago? They replied that they had such paper by the million. Hetty Green in an innocent kind of way passed over her millions and scanned the paper that she had invested in at a very reasonable rate of discount. The Wall-street bankers were happy and so was Hetty.

Those who knew her can imagine the delight which she took in penning a few notes to those Chicago roads in a dainty feminine hand, announcing that she held their demand loans and would they kindly come along with the cash?

The telephones and the telegraphs rattled busily; the Clearing-house Committee was berated and the chairman of the committee attempted explanation. He called up Mrs. Green and she responded in her sweetest tone, "Just send those Chicago boys up to see me and perhaps my bite is not so bad as my bark."

Up to Mrs. Green's they went, an humble lot of Chicago railroad men. But Hetty was more humble than they. She said she was only one lone female in the world with no man to help her and that the railroads owned Chicago and could alone secure justice. She of course, could not.

She said she was not all particular about the money; in fact, did

not have any use for it, but would like a little co-operation for the ends of justice.

The railroad managers were very agreeable to a partnership if they did not have to pay those loans. She asked their opinion of a certain judge, and her partners thereupon determined that he was not much of a judge after all, and Hetty coolly said: "Well, you put him on the bench and you can take him off or you can pay your loans to me."

They fled a banquet board in Chicago high with fruits and wines, dined the judge and nominated him for a higher office while he resigned the lower one. And then Hetty said, in privately telling the tale, "They left him to elect himself; the last I heard of him he was drinking himself to death."

Hetty Green fought her relative, W. W. Crapo, of New England, for many years. Money she was to inherit he invested in Kansas railroad bonds that declined to 10 cents on the dollar, and she sued him to make good.

Suspicion was a large part of her nature. When engaged in this litigation in New Bedford she would not trust a living soul even to cook her food. She bought apples at the corner grocery, selected her own eggs, cooked them herself and, absolutely independent, defied the world and all antagonists.

"So my foolish old trustee, Mr. Crapo, wants to be Governor of Massachusetts, does he?" said Hetty Green—and she looked over the political field as no other woman had ever looked over it before. Then engineers and a gang of workmen began building a dam across a big New England river while the political war bosses in Massachusetts were sparring for position. "Here, what do you mean, Mrs. Green?" said a New England multi-millionaire who had his paper mills below on the river. "Are you going to build a factory?"

"Not at present," said Mrs. Green, "I am just building a dam and it will take some time to float water behind that dam."

"I guess it will," said the large manufacturer. "Why, Mrs. Green, do you know that if you build that dam and hold back that water, my mills must be idle all summer? I will buy your dam and your water rights."

"No," said Hetty, "I must hold my water rights; you hold my political rights. I cannot vote; but you men can make the politics in the Republican party of Massachusetts. You are planning to nominate W. W. Crapo for Governor and a nomination is equivalent to an election."

"Well, what of that?" said the manufacturer.

"Only this, that you are the one man in Massachusetts that can prevent it, and if you don't your paper mills will dry up this summer at least. I am only a poor lone woman with no political voice, but I know my relative is no proper business man."

The bargain was quickly struck. The dam was never finished, and W. W. Crapo was never Governor of Massachusetts.

Silent But Eloquent.

Otto H. Kahn, who has given his beautiful estate in England as a home for blind soldiers, was talking about the horrors of war.

"The other day," he said, "two men on a Hoboken pier saw a huge cargo of wooden legs being loaded on a steamer for shipment to Europe."

"Those wooden legs," said the first man, "are a mighty eloquent argument against war, are they not?"

"Yes," the other man agreed; "they are what you might call stump speeches."

When a fellow tells a girl he loves her for all he is worth, she naturally wants to know how much he is worth.

ENDLESS MYSTERY OF WILKES BOOTH

The Noted Assassin Of President Lincoln.

MANY STORIES ARE RELATED

As To His Identification—No body Knows Where His Bones Lie Buried.

WHEREABOUTS CHANGEABLE

"The body buried in Greenmount was not that of Booth," declared Basil Moxley, a pall-bearer at the alleged funeral of Lincoln's assassin in Baltimore.

"I do not believe that Booth was ever killed in that barn," added Moxley, who for nearly a half century had been doorkeeper in Baltimore at the Holiday Street Theater and at Ford's Opera House. He was a trusted friend of the Booth family and a cyclopedia of information concerning the stage folk of his time.

Many men have shared Moxley's doubt as to the most commonly accepted version of the capture, shooting and burial of Lincoln's assassin. According to that version the documented actor, after shooting the President, and after breaking his leg while making his escape, took refuge in Garrett's tobacco barn, near Bowling Green, Va. The barn was surrounded by 28 veterans of the Sixteenth New York Cavalry, who, fearing to go in and capture one defiant man, set the building on fire and then shot Booth as he appeared to take him at his pursuers.

The commonly accepted story of what next happened relates that Booth's body was sewed up in a saddle blanket and carried aboard the monitor Montauk, where it was laid in the carpenter's bunk of the turret. After an autopsy in Washington, it was placed in a pine gun-box and secretly buried beneath the floor of a cell in the old Washington Penitentiary. After nearly four years had elapsed the great actor, Edwin Booth, persuaded President Andrew Jackson to allow the pine box to be removed to Baltimore for secret burial in Greenmount Cemetery.

Since the black tragedy of '65 there have been advanced more than 50 theories to the effect that Wilkes Booth escaped to enjoy, or, at least, experience, life for a considerable time after his corpse was believed to have molded in the grave. General Eckert, who was Assistant Secretary of War when Lincoln was assassinated and who later became President of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was once quoted as having confessed to his nurse, on his deathbed, that with three other men he had taken the body of Booth out on Delaware Bay and thrown it into the water. A secret service man assigned to the assassination was quoted as stating that the identification of the corpse supposed to have been Booth's was never satisfactorily made. Such doubts and contradictions reiterated by men closely concerned in the search for the assassin led to the suspicion that greed for the \$75,000 reward offered for Booth by the Government resulted in the shooting of another man.

A few years ago Laura Ida Booth (Mrs. L. A. Howard), an actress, who has claimed to be the daughter of Wilkes Booth, announced that her father lived until 1903, when his long-troubled conscience led him to commit suicide at Enid, Okla. A Memphis attorney, Fred L. Bates, who knew the Enid suicide and who believes him to have been Lincoln's assassin, has published a book in support of the theory. Some years ago Mr. Bates appealed to the National House of Representatives to definitely determine the identity of the embalmed corpse of the suicide,

which for four years had been kept by an Enid undertaker. In his communication to Congress Mr. Bates stated:

"I knew Booth as John D. Heley while living in 1872, and was associated with him as my client until the fall of 1907, when we separated in Western Texas, he going to Leadville, Colo., and I returning to Memphis. Booth left with me a small tintype for his future identification. This picture was taken some 12 years after the assassination of Lincoln, and has been identified by Julius Brutus Booth, eldest nephew of John Wilkes Booth, as being the picture of his uncle. It has also been identified by the famous actor, the late Joseph Jefferson, and many others."

About a score of years ago one Christopher C. Ritter, while lying very low in a hospital at Anderson, Ind., is alleged to have unburdened his conscience by confessing that after having been initiated into the Knights of the Golden Circle by Booth, he had been pressed to take part in a kidnapping of President Lincoln, but that before the plan was carried out, Booth killed the President. Accompanying the assassin to Philadelphia, Ritter claimed that he sailed with him for South America, where Booth became "Enos," the famous actor of Latin America.

According to another story, one which has gained the most credence, Booth became an Episcopal clergyman and settled in a Georgia town, where he was visited by his brother, Edwin Booth. He continued to limp until death, and failed also to disguise his love for liquor and his imperious temper. Another story has it that the assassin spent the later days of his life under the name of David E. George, and that he married a Kentucky widow; their child, a daughter, winning success upon the stage.

In New Orleans, Louisville, Denver, Albuquerque, San Francisco and Montreal the man who shot Lincoln has been "located" in recent years. Improbable as the many theories as to his escape may seem, and after all of them have been sifted out and discarded, Wilkes Booth has nevertheless bequeathed to the world a mystery that has never been solved.

Where lie the bones of the man shot in the Garrett barn, whose body was brought to Washington and dissected?

No one knows. It is generally believed that the mound alleged to mark the assassin's grave in Greenmount Cemetery, Baltimore, covers no human remains. For fear of vandalism the Booth family very wisely hid the corpse.

A skeptic is a man who won't believe his own conscience.

A TWICE-TOLD TALE

One Of Interest To Our Readers.

Good news bears repeating, and when it is confirmed after a long lapse of time, even if we hesitated to believe it at first hearing, we feel secure in accepting its truth now. The following experience of a Madisonville man is confirmed after four years.

H. T. Howard, Madisonville, Ky., says: "I was annoyed by attacks of lame back and pains across my loins for fully two years. I was certain that there was something the matter with my kidneys and I used Doan's Kidney Pills. They were the first medicine that gave me relief."

Results That Remain. Over four years later Mr. Howard said: "I haven't had occasion to use a kidney medicine in five years and I gladly confirm my former endorsement."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Howard has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Elks Great Daviess County Fair

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## PROCLAMATION REGARDING INFANTILE PARALYSIS

Board Of Health Orders Ken-  
tucky Towns to Clean  
Their Premises.

Bowling Green, Ky., July 13, 1916.  
Whereas, infantile paralysis, essentially a disease of cities and towns and of childhood, though sometimes occurring in country districts and in adults, exists in a severe epidemic form in New York and has already spread to other sections, eight positive or suspicious cases having been reported in this State within the last twenty-four hours, the disease having an average death rate of about 25 per cent, and a large portion of those surviving being more or less completely paralyzed, and,

Whereas, everywhere the tendency of the disease is to break over official control and spread, especially in the presence of filth and flies in and about the homes, yards, alleys and streets, unless every case is rigidly isolated and all discharges from the throat, nose and bowels are promptly burned or disinfected until complete recovery, and the assembling of children is prevented in really infected districts, now, therefore,

Be it known, that the State Board of Health, in the exercise of authority vested in it by law, and in the discharge of a public duty, hereby urges and directs that the health and civil authorities of every city and town in Kentucky take immediate steps to clean all alleys, streets, tenements, public places and vacant lots and, by rigid and systematic inspection, to require the cleaning and lining of all back yards, cellars and premises, and the thorough screening of homes; although in the presence of this emergency no good citizen should wait for the law to force him to an evident duty for the protection of his family and community. In the existing emergency, visits of children under fifteen years of age from infected or suspected cities should be discouraged, and, when permitted, the names and addresses of all such children should be recorded in the health office.

Upon the occurrence of a suspicious case it should be immediately reported to the health officer, and, without fear or favor, so rigidly isolated that no one can enter the room except the nurse and physician, and the house placarded, or preferably the case sent to the hospital, and all discharges burned or disinfected as in a case of diphtheria and scarlet fever. All of this should be most thoroughly done or it will do harm by giving a false sense of security. In the event of the disease in any city or town, except it be an imported case which can be cared for as above indicated, the local authorities are asked to consider the advisability of restricting the assembling and travel of children in places of amusement, schools, on street cars and trains and, so far as practicable, on the streets. All health officers are required by law to report this disease to this Board, and they are hereby requested to do so by wire at its expense. A bulletin containing more complete information on this subject will be mailed free to any address upon application.

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Hartford City, Ind., July 20:—Mrs. Nancy Hamilton, age sixty-six, and Enoch Newton, age sixty, were married after a courtship of a week.

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## VITAL STATISTICS—STATE AND COUNTY.

In the following report from the State Board of Health of Kentucky it will be noticed that the deaths from preventable diseases are responsible for nearly half of the total number of deaths, and if the knowledge concerning the prevention of these diseases were practically applied, these citizens of the county could be saved and the large amount of money uselessly paid to physicians, druggists and nurses, and that for the time lost from work during illness, could be saved by the proper kind of prevention measures.

It will be noted that Ohio county has to its credit 796 births for January, February, March and April, and the total number of deaths has been 38, 25, 37 and 25 for each of the four months.

It may be possible that some child has escaped registration by the attending physician. This is becoming more and more important to

protect the age of a child and its rights under inheritance laws and to protect its personal and social rights. For example, only a very few people in the State of Kentucky can prove by any sort of official record who their ancestors were a few generations back, and there would be considerable difficulty to prove whether they were white or black so far as any official record of it has been made. If any citizen desires to know whether or not the birth certificate of his child has been registered in the State office for permanent preservation, an inquiry directed to the State Registrar, Bowling Green, Ky., will show whether or not a physician or any one else responsible under the law has been negligent in protecting the rights of such child.

### County Of Ohio—1916.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
All deaths	38	25	37	25
Age one year and under	4	4	5	5
Age 1 to 5 years	2	2	2	1
Age 65 years and over	15	6	16	6
Tuberculosis of lungs	1	4	7	4
Other tuberculosis	1	1	2	1
Pneumonia—broncho-pneumonia	8	5	7	6
Whooping cough	1	1	1	1
Diphtheria—croup	2	1	1	1
Measles	1	1	1	1
Typhoid fever	3	1	1	1
Diarrhoea and enteritis (under 2 years)	1	1	1	1
Dysentery and diarrhoea (over 2 years)	1	1	1	1
Hookworm disease	1	1	1	1
Influenza	9	2	2	2
Cancer	1	1	1	1
Puerperal septicemia	1	1	1	1
Violence	1	1	3	3
Pellagra	1	1	1	1
Smallpox	1	1	1	1
Preventable diseases	24	14	15	15
Preventable diseases (under 65 years)	16	13	12	2
Total births by months	60	49	49	38
Total births, 196—deaths, 125.				

### State Of Kentucky—1916.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
All deaths	3408	2647	2692	2241
Age one year and over	453	446	424	377
Age 1 to 5 years	248	157	143	122
Age 65 years and over	1166	801	777	642
Tuberculosis of lungs	361	379	391	350
Other tuberculosis	38	42	38	65
Pneumonia—broncho-pneumonia	639	362	254	235
Whooping cough	18	22	17	21
Diphtheria—croup	53	31	18	12
Measles	46	24	41	37
Typhoid fever	4	2	2	1
Diarrhoea and enteritis (under 2 years)	30	28	22	33
Dysentery and diarrhoea (over 2 years)	18	12	13	13
Hookworm disease	2	1	1	1
Influenza	451	191	186	52
Cancer	100	80	82	84
Puerperal septicemia	18	23	16	18
Violence	111	117	133	108
Pellagra	7	6	5	6
Smallpox	1	1	1	1
Preventable diseases	1715	1159	1109	883
Preventable diseases (under 65 years)	1170	887	868	741
Total births by months	5468	5112	5351	4082
Total births, 20,013—deaths, 10,988.				

## A GAIN OF 3,242 SHOWN IN SCHOOL POPULATION

For Kentucky For Year 1916—  
Total Between Ages Of 6  
and 20 Is 743,487.

Frankfort, Ky., July 20.—A total gain of 2,410 in the scholastic population of Kentucky is shown by the census of 1916, the 1915 census of Louisville included. The white scholastic population increased, according to the census, 3,242, while the colored population decreased. The rural and graded schools outside of cities gained 2,045, the whites increasing 3,269 and the colored losing 1,224. The opposite was true in cities, Louisville not included, no census being taken there this year, and the white scholastic population of the independent cities dropped 27, while the colored census increased 363.

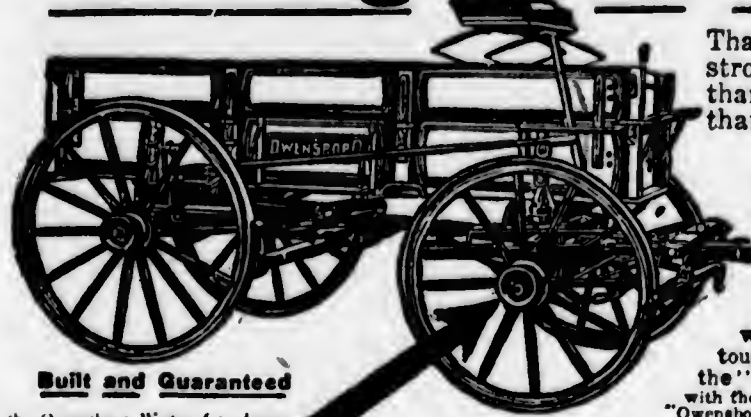
The total population for 1916 of

children between the ages of 6 and 20 is 743,487, of whom 667,002 are white and 76,485 colored, 112,841 white and 26,323 being in cities, and 554,161 white and 50,162 colored being in rural districts.

It is a significant fact that the census for 1909 exceeded the census for 1916 by 421, indicating, State Superintendent Gilbert said, not a reduction in population, but greater accuracy in the enumeration and scrutinizing care in supervising them.

The cities of Ashland, Bowling Green, Covington, Cynthiana, Georgetown, Henderson, Hopkinsville, Lebanon, Ludlow, Mayfield, Middlesboro, Owensboro, Paducah, Pineville and Richmond, and the counties of Anderson, Bell, Bourbon, Boyd, Bracken, Breathitt, Bullitt, Butler, Campbell, Carroll, Carter, Casey, Clay, Clinton, Crittenden, Cumberland, Edmonson, Floyd, Franklin, Fulton, Garrard, Grayson, Hardin, Harlan, Harrison, Henry, Jackson, Jefferson, Jessamine, Knott, Knox, Letcher, Logan, Lyon, Magoffin, Marshall, Mason, McCracken, McCreary, Mercer, Metcalfe, Monroe,

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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President—Woodrow Wilson.  
For Vice Pres't.—T. R. Marshall.  
For Congress—Hon. Ben Johnson.

In his address before the Daughters of the American Revolution, early in May, President Wilson first enunciated the slogan "America First." It was adopted by Col. Roosevelt a week later and by Mr. Hughes about a month later. Since then, however, the term has entered a modified symbolism in the term "Americanism," which is a mere synonym of the first expression. It might be said in passing that there is no loyal American who does not believe in Americanism in all that the word implies. Mr. Hughes to the contrary notwithstanding.

Progressives throughout Kentucky and the Nation are rising up in their indignation and protesting against the plan of Col. Roosevelt and his few followers to pick them up body, soul and britches, and throw them over into the Republican party. They contend that they are standing for a principle and say they will still stand, regardless of their attempted betrayal and sell-out for personal ends. If the Progressive party was worth formation, it is worth standing for its rights, regardless of the attempts of some of its erstwhile leaders to abolish it.

It is said that the picture of Candidate Charles E. Hughes will be filmed and shown in the screen in thousands of motion picture houses in this country during the Presidential campaign. Perhaps unconsciously but nevertheless truly is Mr. Hughes aiding the notoriety tactics of Col. Roosevelt. Teddy, during the strenuous days of his campaign activities, never missed an opportunity to have his picture taken. He was always ready for the camera men. Just what effect these pictures have on the public is problematical, but sometimes people get tired of looking at the same thing.

In these days of belated progress a money people is seldom thought of, but nevertheless these have been occurrences of the past in a very pronounced form. There have been three panics since 1873. They were as follows: In 1893, Grover Cleveland, President; in 1897, William McKinley, President; in 1907, Theodore Roosevelt, President. Grant was President in 1873. Since the recent enactment of the Federal Reserve Act, under a Democratic President, there is no probability and hardly a possibility of the occurrence of a financial panic in this country under any circumstances.

Never before in the history of this country has so much been accomplished in so short a length of time as has been done by the present national administration. Democracy has kept the faith and done even more than it promised. In the interest of the whole people, The Federal Reserve Act, which precludes the possibility of another financial panic; the Underwood Tariff Bill, which is the most equitable and satisfactory ever adopted, even under trying war conditions, are two worthy measures among a number, due to Democratic foresight and action. The country is prosperous and is destined to remain so under its present management.

In our write-up of the Kentucky Press Association meeting at Ashland last week we omitted a very important statement in that the press folks would probably not have had the opportunity to visit Ashland had it not been for the repeated and persistent invitations of Miss Margaret Abne Poage, a newspaper woman of the mountain city, who was untiring in her solicitations. Miss Poage is an expert advertising manager and writer, at present connected with the Ashland Independent. She has rare talent in this line and is also quick to see advantages. The newspaper folks of the State owe her a depth of gratitude for her incitement of the visit to Ashland.

The eyes of the Nation are on Kentucky this year. The Democrats of other States are expecting us to give Wilson and Marshall a routing majority. This should and does demand will be done, but it is no easy matter to confront. To show just how close Kentucky is, it might be interesting to display the figures of 1912 and 1915. In the last Presidential election the Democratic vote was 219,584. For the Republican Electors were cast 115,512 votes

and for the Progressive Electors 162,766, making a total of 218,278, or only 1,306 less than the Democratic vote. In that year the Socialist vote was 11,647, the Prohibition vote 3,233 and the Socialist-Labor vote, 956. In the race for Governor last fall the Democrats cast 219,991 votes, and yet Stanley was elected by a majority of only 471. Taking these facts into consideration, it behooves the Democrats to get busy—very busy—if the Democratic ticket is to be given a handsome majority.

At almost every meeting of the Kentucky Press Association it is evident that a considerable number of Kentucky newspaper men do not attend its sessions regularly nor are their papers included in the membership of the Association. This is not as it should be. Every newspaper in Kentucky ought to be a member of the K. P. A. and all editors should attend its sessions if at all possible. The program should be arranged so as to include nothing but matters pertaining to the newspaper business—the more "round tables" the better. The sessions should be devoted exclusively to newspaper propaganda in all its branches.

Concerning the killing of Towa Marshal Keach at Dawson Springs, an account of which appears on the 6th page of The Herald to-day, the Dawson Tribune says:

"The killing of Marshal Keach is nothing but a bold frame-up from start to finish by a low-down gang of assassins and law-breakers, whose hatred and enmity the Chief had incurred by being a brave, fearless officer who did his full duty, thereby making it very warm for the outlaw clan. Every decent and law-abiding citizen of this city knows exactly, or believes, that the killing of Mr. Keach is the result of a premeditated and diabolical conspiracy, which makes the blackest chapter in the entire city's history, and one that the good people should exercise every precaution to vindicate."

This is just another dark chapter, many times written in the history of communities where blind tigers and other lawbreakers are allowed to get a foothold. They serve as warnings to suppress the law violators before tragedies occur.

## EXPLAINS ROOSEVELT'S

## TERM "WEASEL WORDS"

Editors Herald, Hartford, Ky., First—Referring to a recent use in your paper of the term "weasel words," which Col. Roosevelt brought into general notice in his speech last May, in St. Louis, I would call your attention to the origin of the words, sixteen years ago.

In the June, 1900, number of the Century Magazine, page 364, there appeared a story entitled "The Stained-Glass Political Platform," by Stewart Chaplin. It tells of two young men who constructed, for amusement, a take-off on political platforms. At page 365, is found the following:

"And like most platforms," continued St. John, "it contains plenty of what I call weasel words."

"And what may weasel words be?"

"Why, weasel words are words that suck all the life out of the words next to them, just as a weasel sucks an egg and leaves the shell. If you heft the egg afterward it's as light as a feather, and not very filling when you're hungry; but a basketful of them would make quite a show, and would bamboozle the unwary."

"I know them well," said Gamage, "and mightily useful they are, too. Although the old gentleman couldn't write much of a platform, he's an expert on weaseling. I've seen him take his pen, and go through a proposed plank or resolution, and weasel every fat-tongued word in it. Then the weasel word pleases one man, and the word that's been weaseled pleases another."

This is the origin of the term "weasel words," now so frequently quoted. A. F. WHITEFIELD,  
2 Rector Street,  
New York City.

July 19, 1916.

## PUTS TRUST IN OPINION

## OF MEN IN THE STREET

You get a good deal more light on the street than you do in the closet. You get a good deal more light by keeping your ears open among the rank and file of your fellow citizens than you do in any private conference whatever. I would rather hear what the men are talking about on the trains and in the shops and by the fireside than hear anything else, because I want guidance, and I know I could get it there, and what I am constantly asking is that men should help me that counsel, because I am not prepared to decide things independently of my counsel. I am your servant, not your ruler. From President Wilson's address at Dayton.

TEDDY DENOUNCED BY  
A PROGRESSIVE CHIEF

Party "Trussed and Sold," Says  
County Chairman O'Connell,  
of New York.

John J. O'Connell, chairman of the New York county committee of the Progressives, which is the largest organization of that party in the United States, has raised the standard of revolt against Col. Roosevelt and the other leaders who are attempting to deliver the party to the Republicans. The New York World of July 9 announces that the county chairman from all five boroughs of Greater New York are supporting Mr. O'Connell, and that from State and county chairmen all over the country he is receiving letters urging him to lead a fight against the endorsement by the Progressive National Committee of the Hughes nomination.

Writing in the World, under the date named, Mr. O'Connell says:

"If the voters will take the trouble to examine the record they will find that Mr. Wilson has to his credit in the four years of his administration pretty nearly as much progressive legislation as was enacted in the eleven years of the Roosevelt and Taft administrations."

Mr. O'Connell denounces the Progressive platform, which, he says, "was made deliberately to take away the unanswerable argument we have always been able to oppose to every suggestion of amalgamation with the Republicans—made since 1912. That argument was that the Republicans had given no indications, either in their platforms or in the public utterances of their leaders, that the leopard had changed his spots. So they made our Progressive platform, emasculated our Progressive platform, to enable Mr. Hughes to run on it with the support of all the forces of reaction to the war cry, 'Anything to beat Wilson.'"

He says boldly there is no doubt in his mind that "the Progressive party was trussed and sold from the time of the Gary dinner last year." The Progressive leaders, he says, were in honor bound, when Col. Roosevelt refused to run, to place upon the Progressive ticket some member of the Progressive party.

## Low Rate Excursion.

Two dollars round trip from Providence, Ky., to Louisville, Ky., via L. & N., Saturday noon, July 29, 1916.

Train leaves Providence, Saturday noon, July 29, 1916, at 12 o'clock sharp; arriving in Louisville 10th and Broadway, Saturday night, July 29, 1916, at 6:30 o'clock.

Returning, train leaves Louisville, 10th and Broadway, Sunday night, July 30, 1916, at 7 o'clock sharp.

Stations.	Time.	Fare.
Le. Burlington	11:45 a.m.	\$2.00
Madisonville	12:35 p.m.	2.00
Bremen	1:00 p.m.	2.00
Lyons City	1:05 p.m.	2.00
Moorman	1:09 p.m.	1.75
Centertown	1:25 p.m.	1.75
Hartford	1:45 p.m.	1.50
Sunnydale	2:00 p.m.	1.50
Dundee	2:10 p.m.	1.50
Ar. Elizabethtown	2:30 p.m.	
Ar. Louisville	6:20 p.m.	
Ar. Louisville	July 30, 7:00 p.m.	

## Soldier Boy Gets Hurt.

A Thursday news item from Ft. Thomas, Ky., says:

Oscar McDonald, of Horse Branch, member of H Company, Third Regiment, from Hartford, suffered a broken right wrist late this afternoon while boxing with another guardsman. Several hundred guardsmen of the Third Regiment were grouped about the sparring exhibition when McDonald, striking at his opponent's head, missed with his gloved fist and struck with his wrist. He was taken to the Third Regiment sanitary detachment and later removed to the field hospital.

THE METHODIST BIBLE  
CLASSES TO FEDERATE

The announcement is made that plans have been completed for a great meeting at Kavanaugh Camp Grounds, eighteen miles east of Louisville on the L. & N., of the Wesley Bible Class workers of the Southern Methodist Church in the Louisville and Kentucky Conferences. The object of the meeting is the organization of the Kentucky Wesley Bible Class Federation, having as its object the improvement and extension of Wesley Bible Class work in the two Conferences. All Wesley Bible classes in this country are expected to attend this meeting. The program is of an unusually high order.

The opening session will begin at 2 o'clock on Tuesday, August 8th, and the meeting will close Thursday at noon. It will be a time of

wonderful inspiration and help for Bible Class workers.

Every subject included in the program is of vital importance and will be presented by a speaker especially qualified to handle it. There will be times for open discussion of practical problems confronting Bible class workers which will make this meeting one of the most important events in the history of Methodism in Kentucky.

CAPT. DEWEES Laid Off  
BY TEMPORARY ILLNESS

A dispatch dated at Fort Thomas, Ky., last Monday says:

"It was learned this morning medical examiners, Capt. DeWeese Louisville, commanding H Company, Third Regiment, from Hartford, has been rejected conditionally by the medical examiners. Capt. DeWeese underwent a minor surgical operation recently and has not recovered entirely. He will go to a Cincinnati hospital to-day in an effort to hasten his complete recovery. It is understood he will be accepted as soon as he returns in sound condition."

It was quite generally known when Capt. DeWeese left Hartford with his company a few weeks ago that he was not in robust health and that he had undergone a minor operation. No doubt the work of camp life made him temporarily worse, but a short stay in a hospital will quite certainly bring him around all right. Capt. DeWeese has a host of friends here who wish for him a speedy recovery, as we all know his deep attachment for his company and the army service.

SOME NEW METHODS TO  
ALLURE CHURCH GOERS

Paducah, Ky., July 24.—To increase the attendance at church the Rev. A. D. Harley, pastor of the Kentucky-avenue Presbyterian church, has installed a phonograph and stereoscope. He said that when Christ gave His parable of the great supper and said, "Compel them to come in," He meant what he said. Mr. Harley said there was need of a plan to attract churchgoers in Paducah as not more than 25 per cent. of the people go to church. On the phonograph the pastor plays Schumann-Heink, also Gluck and Homer and other high-class musical productions. With the stereoscope he illustrates his sermons with colored slides.

ROONE'S "TRAMP" TREE  
IS FELLED BY ELEMENTS

The historic beech tree, known as the "Roone Tree," on which Daniel Boone, the famous pioneer American hunter, carved the information that he had killed a bear, has at last yielded to the elements. This tree was blown down by a fierce wind and split in two, so that the historic inscription in its bark, which read, "D. Boone killed bear on tree in year, 1769," is severed.

This tree occupied a picturesque position in Washington county, East Tennessee, five miles northwest of the historic old capital town of Knoxville. The territory referred to was at the time a part of North Carolina, but was later embraced in the short-lived State of Franklin. It is stated that the John Sevier Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution is now devising plans to preserve that section of the tree bearing the inscription. The land and the tree are properties of Lafayette Isley, a farmer.

## Found Himself Dead.

Mobile, Ala., July 24.—C. C. Green, former banker and real estate dealer, of Waynesboro, Miss., back to-day after a mysterious disappearance eighteen months ago, explained that business difficulties prompted him to leave. He returned to find that in his absence a body had been identified and buried as his own and his estate had been administered and settled. He announced his intention of resuming management of his business. Green's explanation was made in a signed statement to a newspaper here. He declined to reveal his residence during the past eighteen months.

## This Beats Kansas.

Henderson, Ky., July 24.—Thomas Mason is the owner of a Blue Champion rooster that set and hatched out eleven fine chicks. The male fowl was noticed setting on a nest several weeks ago and Mr. Mason placed a setting of eggs under it. In due course eleven of the eggs hatched and the rooster is mothering the chickens.

## High Price For Wheat.

Henderson, Ky., July 24.—The highest price paid for wheat here this season was paid Saturday, when the Ohio Valley Bank, agent for set and farmers, sold 3,000 bushels to the Henderson Elevator Company at \$1.27½. Several small crops have sold at \$1.25.

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## CENTRAL GROVE.

July 24.—Sunday School continues to grow in interest with Mr. M. G. Snell as superintendent.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rowe, who have been visiting relatives here for the past two weeks, will leave to-day in their touring car for their home in Kenosha, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Bettie Fulkerson and daughter Miss Lois, of Paducah, are spending a few weeks with Mrs. Fulkerson's mother, Mrs. Annanda Rowe, and other relatives here.

Mr. Spurgeon Maddox and family, of Waco, Texas, visited the family of Mr. J. W. Loney last week.

Mrs. Dr. J. S. Fitzhugh and children, of Island, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Q. Cooper recently.

Mrs. Ora Maddox, of Beaver Dam, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. L. J. Igleheart, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Stevens and little son John, of Cromwell, are visiting Mrs. Stevens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Render.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown and little granddaughter Clarissa Ashby, of West Providence, visited the family of Mr. Lewis Brown Sunday.

Miss Irene Rhoads, of Beaver Dam, spent a few days recently with her aunt, Mrs. W. I. Igleheart.

Miss Lillian Bails, of Centertown, visited Miss Gracie Southard Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ashby and little daughter Francis Pauline, of Lone Star neighborhood, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Uecker, of East Hartford, visited at Mr. B. W. Uecker's Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Gayle Tichenor, of Hartford, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Everett Tichenor.

Miss Mayme Sholders, of this place, is visiting Miss Iva Barnes, of Ceralvo.

Messrs. Pirtle Park, Jesse Bishop and Tom Brown have gone to Detroit, Mich., where they have, it is reported, good positions.

Mrs. U. S. Faught and children, of Paradise, visited in this community last week.

Mr. R. T. Tler, of Rockport, is visiting the family of Mr. D. M. Park of this place.

Mrs. Worth Ashby, who has been in ill health for several months, is no better.

Misses Beatrice and Nellie Wallace were baptized Sunday afternoon by Rev. R. E. Fuqua.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Acton, of Hart-

ford, attended church here Sunday and were the guests of Mrs. Acton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Miller. Prayer meeting at the church every Sunday night.

## RALPH.

July 22.—Miss Doua Ralph, of Sunnydale, Ky., is visiting Miss Leathel Patton this week.

Mr. Tom Midkiff, of Owensboro, spent Friday with Mr. H. W. Ralph.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Patton spent Friday with Mrs. Belinda Ann Patton, of Adaburg.

Mr. Thurman Ralph and family visited Mr. Lonnie Wade and family, near Harford, this week.

Miss Gertrude Taylor, of Adaburg, spent Saturday night with Miss Leathel Patton.

Mr. L. A. Ralph is visiting Mr. Tom Taylor and family, of Sulphur Springs, Ky.

Mr. Tom Denton, of Centertown, spent Wednesday night with Esq. J. L. Patton.

Messrs. C. E. Miller, J. D. and P. C. Cooper and Martin Farmer, of Fordsville, Ky., were here Friday afternoon.

Mr. C. C. Moseley met with quite an accident one evening of this week when a mule kicked him in the mouth.

## CLATON.

July 23.—Miss Elizabeth Miller, of Louisville, who had been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lyons, has returned home.

Mr. Wesley Raley is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lyons are improving.

Mr. Robert Duff is on the sick list.

Mr. C. D. Bean, Misses Gladys Foreman and Myrtle E. Canan went to Owensboro and from there on the excursion boat to Rockport, Ind., returning home the same evening, bringing your scribe a fine watermelon.

Mr. Louis Hoover and wife, Friedaland, spent to-day with their son, Mr. E. M. Hoover, and family.

Rev. Ferrel, of Melferry, is conducting a series of meetings at the Baptist church here.

Rev. Fielden, with his tent, is holding a meeting near Friedaland.

Miss Gladys Foreman, Narrows, who has been visiting Miss Myrtle E. Canan, will return home to-morrow.

Mr. C. D. Bean is visiting friends and relatives at Dundee and Sulphur Springs.



## Hot Weather Remedy!



A Design for Pongee  
McCall Pattern No. 7289, one of the  
many new designs for August

We can not regulate the weather, but we can dress so as to make ourselves comfortable. We have the remedy for this right in our store.

Just received a large shipment of sheer THIN material, the right kind to make you feel good this sizzling hot weather.

They come in plain, white and fancy Organdies, Awning Stripe Voiles, Seed Voiles, plain Swisses and fancy Swiss, Splash Voiles, Black Cloth, Middy Cloth,

and many other late wash fabrics. The prices are in reach of everybody. When you are sweltering, remember the remedy is found right in our store.

McCall patterns carried in stock, and painstaking salespeople to give you any information you may desire.

**Come to see us, and remember that**

**IT PAYS TO TRADE WITH A HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY.**

**FAIR & Co.**  
THE FAIR DEALERS

### L. H. & ST. L. R. R. TIME TABLE

No. 113 due at Ellmitch	8:32 p. m.
No. 119 due at Ellmitch	7:30 a. m.
No. 112 Lv. Ellmitch	3:40 p. m.
Ar. Irvington	5:25 p. m.
Lv. Irvington	5:56 p. m.
Ar. Louisville	7:49 p. m.
No. 111 Lv. Louisville	8:35 a. m.
Ar. Irvington	10:06 a. m.
Lv. Irvington	10:40 a. m.
Ar. Ellmitch	1:04 p. m.

### M. H. & E. R. R. TIME TABLE

South Bound, No. 115—	
Due at Hartford 8:45 a. m.	
North Bound, No. 114—	
Due at Hartford 5:55 p. m.	
(Both "Mixed" Trains.)	

### LOCAL NEWS AND PERSONAL POINTS

See Acton Bros. for Binder Twine.  
"There's a Photographer" in SCHROETER.

Mr. Oscar Haynes, Owensboro, was in Hartford Wednesday.

Miss Etta Holder, city, is visiting Mrs. F. L. Compton, Whitesville, Ky.

Miss Iva Goff, of Centertown, is spending this week with Miss Ora Williams, city.

Mr. J. C. Durrett, Midway, Ky., visited Mr. J. C. Riley, city, a few days last week.

No marriage license have been issued from the Ohio County Clerk's office the past week.

Mr. Orin Wallace, Central City, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Sam Barnett, Mulberry street.

Mr. W. E. Ellis returned yesterday evening from a two-days business trip to Cathoun, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolter Park, city, have a new girl baby at their house, born last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Foreman, of Narrows, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Foster Bennett, city.

Deering Mower supplies of all sorts may be procured from W. E. Ellis & Bro. Supplies always on hand.

Messrs. D. B. Payton, Crofton; T. G. Wallace, Hopkinsville, and Ed Duke, general manager of Dundee Mercantile Co., Dundee, Ky., were among The Herald's callers Wednesday.

Mrs. E. G. Bryant, of Cairo, Ill., who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ford, Hartford, Route 4, has returned home.

Dr. J. R. Pirte, our local dentist, is absent in Louisville, attending the National Association of Dentists. He aims to return Friday at noon.

Messrs. M. V. Johnson, Hartford, Route 3; T. H. Tatum and J. L. Cook, Hartford, Route 2, were among The Herald's callers Monday.

Mrs. T. J. Morton, of Evansville, Ind., who had been visiting Mrs. Ella Morton and Mrs. John G. Keown, city, returned home Saturday.

Mr. S. S. May went to Eastern Kentucky last Wednesday where he has a contract for reservoir construction. He took twenty colored laborers with him.

Miss Elizabeth Smith, who had been visiting Miss Matyie Duke for two weeks, returned to her home at Russellville last Friday. Miss Duke accompanied her home.

See W. H. Parks, Hartford, Ky., for five-year loans on first-class real estate, in Ohio, Muhlenberg, Daviess, McLean, Butler, Webster and Breckinridge counties.

Mr. Everett Duke, of Owensboro, visited relatives in and near Beaver Dam and Horton from last Saturday until Monday. His mother, Mrs. W. V. Duke, is visiting in the same vicinity.

Rev. S. E. Harlan, pastor of the local Christian church, went to Vandett, Hopkins county, Ky., Monday to conduct a series of meetings for Rev. John P. Tuck. He will be absent about ten days.

Farmers of Ohio county should not forget the meeting at Hartford next Saturday afternoon, to make efforts to market their tobacco here the coming season and avoid hauling it to Owensboro.

Rev. J. Frank Baker, of Sturgis, Ky., formerly junior preacher in charge of the Methodist circuit here, was in Hartford yesterday on his way to Dundee, Ky., to help Rev. Vanhook in a meeting.

Have you secured your season tickets for the Chautauqua at Hartford Aug. 7, 8 and 9? If not, you had better get busy. Season tickets only \$1.50. Call or write E. G. Barrass, chairman of the ticket committee.

Mr. W. E. Ellis, the mill man, bought a thousand bushels of wheat a few days ago from Messrs. Guy Rowan and Rowan Cox, of Hedlin neighborhood. The wheat was loaded on a barge at Rough river locks and brought to Hartford. It cost Mr. Ellis \$1.05 per bushel, put in his mill here.

Mr. Rowan Holbrook recently purchased and had delivered a carload (132 barrels) of slop from the Glenmore Distilleries Co., of Owensboro, to feed a lot of hogs on his farm near Hartford. The cost laid down is 35 cents per barrel. A barrel of this feed is said to be equal to 1 to 1½ bushels of corn.

Mr. Wm. T. Richardson, Jr., residing near Hedlin, at Rough river locks, died Monday morning after several weeks illness of typhoid pneumonia. He was a son of Mr. W. T. Richardson, living near Hartford. He leaves a wife and two children. His burial occurred at Pleasant Hope church, McLean county, yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. He was a member of the W. O. W. and a prominent and industrious citizen.

### READ THIS.

If in need of Corn, Hay, Oats, Beans or Arab Mixed Feeds, Chicken Feeds, Grit and Shells, Weber Wagons, Farm Implements, Repairs on the Deering and McCormick Mowing Machines, Grass and Field Seeds of all kinds, in season, as well as the best Patent Blue Ribbon and Second Patent Red Rose Flour, two-foot tile for wells, Rock Salt, Stock and Poultry Remedies, we are prepared to furnish you as cheap as like articles are to be had elsewhere. If not cheaper. Call and let us quote you before buying.

W. E. ELLIS & BRO.,  
The Produce Men,  
Hartford, Ky.

2914  
Note—Cash always paid for Poultry and Eggs.

### For Sale.

High grade 5-passenger automobile, in first-class condition. Will sell cheap. For particulars apply to The Herald.

2911  
A Delightful Eastern Trip.  
The Nashville Tennessean has the following regarding former Hartford citizens:

Mr. and Mrs. David William King have returned from a delightful eastern trip. They were house guests of Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. D. E. Thomas, in Newark, N. J., and were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Willard Warriner at Jamaica, N. Y. Mrs. Frank Weeks at Plainfield, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cooper at

Glen Ridge, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell at Belleville, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harper at Atlantic City and Philadelphia. They made the day trip up the Hudson to West Point and with pleasant stopovers in New York City, Washington and Cincinnati.

### THAT BLUE MARK

In the little square on your Herald to-day is a personal notification. It means that your subscription is more than a year past due. As to just how you stand, please look at the date opposite your name on The Herald. It shows that your subscription is paid to that date. The amount may be a great deal more than a year. If so, we need it that much more. For in this case it should have been paid long ago. Please remember that all subscriptions are actually due in advance, and that we are crediting you from the beginning of each year. It costs much more to run a country newspaper now than it ever did before. The Herald is very cheap at a dollar a year—we may have to raise the price soon, as other papers are doing. We need the money or we would not insist on you paying us by this blue pencil notification. Please do not pass this matter up without noticing the date opposite your name on the little yellow slip. Then kindly let us have what is due—if any.

### NOTICE, TOBACCO GROWERS!

Every tobacco grower and every person interested in the growing or selling of tobacco is invited and requested to be present at a meeting to be held at Hartford, Ky., Saturday, July 29th, at 2 p. m. The purpose of said meeting being to discuss as to the disposition, handling and selling of the future crop.

R. H. FORD, Pres't.  
(Advertisement)

### WANTED.

Middle aged woman as general housekeeper. Apply to Mrs. A. K. ANDERSON, city.

### New Grocery.

We have installed a large and complete line of Staple and Fancy Groceries in the Griffin building and are now ready for business. We operate on an absolutely cash basis which accounts for our remarkably low prices. Call, look over our line and inquire about our cut-rate prices.

NELSON'S BLUE FRONT CASH GROCERY,  
304 Hartford, Ky.

Hartford Citizen Complimented.

Mr. M. L. Heavrin is in receipt of and has accepted an invitation from the Republican National Committee to be present at the official nomination of Charles Evans Hughes as the nominee of the Republican party for the Presidency of the United States.

The notification will be made at Carnegie Hall, New York City, next Monday evening July 31, 1916. Mr. Heavrin is also invited to attend a reception given by Mr. Hughes at Hotel Astor after the notification exercises.

Wanted—Mixed Rags, \$1 per 100 lbs.; Mixed Scrap Iron, 20c per 100 lbs.; Mixed Paper in bundles, 20c per 100 lbs.; Copper, Brass, Rubber and Junk at market price. Corn at 52c per bushel.

D. L. D. SANDERFER,  
2913, Beaver Dam, Ky.

### FEEDS AND POULTRY.

Feed your stock on the best—get best results. Cotton Seed Meal, Crushed Corn, Corn Chops, Northern White Oats (clipped), Bran and Shipstuf, Dixie, Arab, Tankage, Shells and Grit, Distiller's Dried Grains. We and Mr. Keep the best.

2914 W. E. ELLIS & BRO.

For Sale—A two-year-old Jersey bull, entitled to register.

2914 J. W. MERCER,  
Beaver Dam, Ky., Route 2.

### How Is This For Profit?

Mr. O. C. Daniel, Olaton, Route 1, through our Farm Demonstrator, Mr. W. W. Browder, reports a banner yield of \$70 from the wool and lambs off of five ewes this year—\$14 to the ewe. Who can beat this?

### SEEDS.

Best Quality Field and Grass Seeds, German Millet, Red Top, Kentucky Blue Grass, White Sweet Clover, Red Clover, Alsike Clover, Crimson Clover, Timothy and Northern Reclaimed White Rye.

Don't sow cheap seeds. It pays to sow the best and we have a fresh stock in our house.

2914 W. E. ELLIS & BRO.

The Kentucky Court of Appeals decided to continue in office the Paducah officials appointed by Gov. Stanley.

### WHEAT

Wanted at Ford's mill. Send sample and get price.

# Clothes For Hot Days!

**Well, Well, But It's Hot!**

Have you the clothes to stand this July sun? Have you the skeleton suit, as thin as we dare make it and as thin as you dare wear it? This weather is not so bad if you have the right kind of clothing—the kind we are offering.

**Come in and see How Cool We Can Make You.**

Our Palm Beaches, Kool Krash and Serges are all waiting to do their share in keeping you cool. And then we have a host of accessories, such as Negligee Shirts, Straw Hats, Wash Ties, Thin Underwear, Etc.

Come in and let us cool you off. Your purse will hardly know it.

**Carson & Co.,**  
(Incorporated.)  
HARTFORD, KY.

### HAS FOUND NO TRACE OF HER MISSING HUSBAND

Owensboro, Ky., July 24.—Edith Marvin, a nineteen-year-old girl of near Hedlin, Ohio county, has been the victim of her infatuation for a handsomely dressed stranger, claiming his name was James Shaftmore, of Wisconsin, whom she married in Hartford, Ohio county, after the stranger had been a guest in her home for a few days.

About a year ago Miss Marvin who resides with her sister, Mrs. Edward Hoover, at Hedlin, was attending school in Bowling Green, and she was introduced to Shaftmore, with whom she fell in love. After her return home she corresponded with him until the early part of July when Shaftmore arrived in Hedlin, attracting the attention of the citizens by his splendid attire. After a few days' visit in the home of the sister of Miss Marvin, Shaftmore and the young woman drove to Hartford and were married, July 16th.

Immediately upon their marriage they came to Owensboro and spent the night at a local hotel. Next morning Shaftmore, who claimed to be a lawyer, told his wife he had received an urgent call to come to Louisville, and that she must return home, which she did, leaving at 7:20 o'clock, and her husband left Owensboro at 7:55 o'clock that morning for Louisville.

Since that time no one has heard of or from Shaftmore, and the relatives of Miss Marvin are considering making an investigation as to the whereabouts of the absent husband.

### NOTICE.

Having bought the interest of my brother, R. H. Ellis, in the Ellis Milling Co., we desire all those indebted to us to please call and settle all old accounts.

I will continue the flour mill business at the same old stand and will appreciate the patronage of all my friends. Will have on hand at all times Flour, Meal, Bran and Shipstuf.

W. E. ELLIS,  
Hartford, Ky.

### TOBACCO CROP WILL BE LARGER THAN 1915 YIELD

The tobacco crop of the United States in 1916 will be larger than that of last year according to all official Government data obtainable upon the planted area and the probable production, the estimate of which is based upon the condition of

the growing crop, July 1. The estimate of a yield of 1,191,324,000 pounds, compared with a final estimate of the 1915 crop at the same time of the season, of 1,060,587,000 pounds, indicates an increase over the current season of 130,737,000 pounds, or about 12 per cent. The condition of the crop on July 1 in practically every section of the country was better than the same date last year, and the prospect as a whole are exceedingly good for the harvesting of a full crop.

Throughout Kentucky the crop seems to be in better condition than last year, and there will probably be an increased yield in both the barley and dark sections of the State.

### RURAL CREDIT CONCERN GOES INTO BANKRUPTCY

The Kentucky Rural Credit Association was on Monday of last week placed in the hands of a receiver, after a thorough investigation at Lexington. This is the association whose promoter was here in Hartford several weeks last spring and early summer, and who secured several subscribers among local farmers.

Much was made of the fact that ex-Gov. Jas. B. McCreary was president of the organization. This official stated in an interview, that the association hit the rocks because of the too liberal commission paid to its promoters. There are others who will probably say that the association went on the rocks because of the princely salary of \$5,000 that was paid to the president. Only \$500 was found in the treasury.

### Ohio County Fair.

It has been decided to have another Ohio County Fair this year and September 21, 22 and 23 have been designated as the days. The managers are Messrs. R. E. Lee Simmerman and T. H. Black. Prospects are bright for a big fair, which should interest all the people of this and surrounding counties. There are no finer fair grounds in the State than those here at Hartford and there is no reason why we should not have one of the biggest fairs in the State, which no doubt will be the case.

National A. S. of E. Convention.  
The Executive Board of the National Union of A. S. of E. have fixed the place for holding the next annual convention at St. Paul, Minnesota, commencing December 12th and continuing until all business is transacted.



## Hartford • Herald

PRICE ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR

MAN WAS TERROR  
TO BLIND TIGERSDouble Tragedy Occurs At  
Dawson Springs.

## THE TOWN MARSHAL IS SLAIN

And His Old Enemy Who Assist-  
ed In Arresting Him Is  
Shot Down.

## FATAL ENDING TO OLD AFFAIR

Dawson Springs, Ky., July 20.—Late yesterday afternoon the town of Dawson Springs was the scene of the wildest excitement when a double killing took place in the main street in front of Hamby's well. K. H. Keach and Dick Rodgers were killed.

Dick Rodgers had a warrant sworn out for the arrest of Keach, who was the Town Marshal of Dawson Springs, on the charge of mistreatment when he was arrested about two months ago and was taken to Madisonville by Marshal Keach. It is claimed that Rodgers made threats he was going home and have the warrant sworn out and have himself deputized and he would arrest Keach. Rodgers served his time in jail in Madisonville after pleading guilty to a charge.

Monday Rodgers returned to Dawson Springs and yesterday afternoon W. H. Ferguson, constable, was given the warrant of arrest for Marshal Keach. He deputized Frank Tribble, Dick Rodgers and M. N. Logan, brother of Sheriff Tom Logan, and when Keach was met on the street the warrant was presented, and, it is claimed, Keach resisted arrest.

Rodgers, it is claimed, pulled his pistol, as did Keach, when Rodgers fired. Keach shot and killed Rodgers, the bullet entering near the heart.

At this time, it is claimed, Mack Logan, who had arrived on the scene, reached over a deputy and fired at Keach, shooting him in the back of the head, killing him instantly.

J. D. Biddick, a deputy marshal of Dawson Springs, came to the assistance of Keach and later was arrested on the charge of flourishing a deadly weapon.

Keach had been the marshal of Dawson Springs for several months, and had made every effort to break up the blind tigers in that city. He has had the assistance of the good citizenship and has been highly complimented for the good work he has done there. The citizens of Dawson have been paying Keach a bonus for the efforts he has been making in running the blind tigers from the town.

Rodgers and Keach had some trouble some time ago and Rodgers fled suit against Keach, accusing him of mistreating his sons. Keach saw the boys when they arrived on a train, having in their care a suitcase, and supposing the case had been in the hands of the boys on the charge of bringing intoxicants into dry territory. This caused the suit.

When Rodgers was taken to jail in Madisonville he had his hand in a bandage, claiming Keach had hit him, injuring the hand, and while in jail had the hand treated. It is claimed he threatened to have Keach arrested when he left the jail. Last Monday he returned to his home at Dawson Springs.

Coroner Mack Stevens was called to Dawson Springs and held the inquest.

Sheriff Tom Logan, County Attorney G. W. Sybert and other county officials have visited the scene of the killing. J. D. Biddick, the deputy marshal, and Mack Logan were taken to Madisonville, and Logan placed in jail to await the examining trial.

All of the parties in the tragedy are well known in Hopkins county.

Sweet Clover  
Seed

for summer and early fall sowing, alone, in corn at last cultivation or on stubble land after grain harvest.

Bokhara Seed Co.,

Falmouth, Pendleton County, Ky.

When the officers arrived at the court house in Madisonville last night a big crowd was awaiting them.

Logan claims he fired in defense of officers making the arrest.

There is a great deal of sympathy here among the best citizens for Keach and the members of his family. He was generally regarded as one of the best and bravest officers Dawson Springs ever had.

He was a terror to the blind tiger operators, and had practically cleaned up the town. The bootleggers and gamblers had made threats against him, but he apparently did not stand in any awe of them, and paid no attention to their threats.

HARRASSING THE L. & N.  
—UNRIGHTEOUS WARFARE

Milton H. Smith is right when he protests against the investigation of the L. & N.'s political activities by the Interstate Commerce Commission, declaring that such is entirely the result of the personal animus of Senator Luke Lea of Tennessee.

It is not pleasant for an elephant to be annoyed by an ant and we imagine that this is very much the way the head of the Louisville and Nashville feels about Senator Lea's attacks.

Nevertheless, a railroad should not be continually harassed by commissions, federal or State, unless there be a just cause. The L. & N. is, we believe, one of the best conducted roads of the country. Its policy is ultra-conservative. It is absolutely free from high financing, and is reasonably just in its treatment of those with whom it deals. Yet the L. & N. is "called on the carpet" more frequently than almost any other road before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

As to Senator Lea's charges that it takes a pernicious part in Tennessee and Alabama politics, we, of course, have no accurate knowledge. However, if all of Senator Lea's statements are on a parity with his charge that the L. & N. spent a large amount of money to defeat Stanley for Governor, they discredit themselves. Before making such a declaration the Senator should have noticed that the Fifth district, which frequently goes Republican (and where the L. & N. vote is massed) gave Stanley 4,100 majority over Morrow. —[Elizabethtown News.]

HUGHES WILL OPEN HIS  
CAMPAIGN ON AUGUST 7

Bridgehampton, N. Y., July 20.—Charles E. Hughes will open his campaign with a speech in Detroit on the night of August 7. He will then go to Chicago, where he will deliver another speech, probably on the night of the 8th or 9th. From Chicago he will go to St. Paul and Minneapolis for his third speech.

In announcing this program Mr. Hughes said he will adhere to his plan to make only ten or twelve set speeches on the trip, which will take him to the Pacific coast, and will return East in time to go into Maine before the September election. Plans for the other speeches he will make on the transcontinental trip have not matured, but he will spend the two weeks originally contemplated in the Rocky Mountains.

Mr. Hughes probably will leave New York the night of August 5 for Detroit. The nominee spent most of to-day in arranging the itinerary of his return trip.

LOS ANGELES REGINS WORK  
ON SUBTERRANEAN MUSEUM

Los Angeles, Cal., July 20.—County officials here have just begun preparatory work on Los Angeles county's new subterranean museum at La Brea.

Within a short time, it is expected, southern Californians will be elbowing tourists under ground in the La Brea tar spring section here, observing the fossil remains of prehistoric American animal life.

The La Brea pits, from which some of the most amazing examples of ancient American animals and even human life have been taken, have been given to Los Angeles county by G. Allan Hancock, capitalist.

The condition of the gift is that the county build an underground museum, showing the fossils of saber tooth tigers, elephants, giant sloths, just as they were trapped in the sticky tar hundreds of thousands of years ago.

## Run Of Cards.

The teacher had explained that a monarchy is a country ruled by a king. The pupils got that.

"If the king dies, who rules?" the teacher continued.

"The queen," someone suggested.

"Yes, under certain circumstances which I shall explain later, that is true. Now, if the queen dies, who takes her place?"

Only one boy ventured to reply.

"The jack," he said.

HUGHES REPUDIATED  
BY ACTING CHAIRMAN  
Of the Progressive National  
Committee Who Calls Deal  
An "Affront."

The New York Tribune (Rep.) of July 8 reports the following:

"An attempt by a small group of men to deliver the Progressive party organization to the Republican candidate in a manner which violates one of the fundamental principles of the Progressive party, is an affront to the sincerity of all Progressives."

This is the way Matthew Hale, of Boston, acting chairman of the Progressive National Committee, ends his report to the delegates of the recent Progressive National Convention on the action of the Progressive National Committee in endorsing Mr. Hughes.

In his report Mr. Hale quotes freely from telegrams and letters sent prior to the meeting of the Progressive National Committee, and then gives his conclusions, which are, in part, as follows:

"You, as delegates to the Progressive National Convention, made it clear that you were not in favor of surrendering to the Republican party."

"When you gave the Progressive National Committee the right to fill vacancies you did not intend to give it the right to deliver the Progressive party organization to the Republican candidate."

"The endorsement of the Republican candidate by the Progressive National Committee was made without authority either from you, who represent the Progressive party nationally, or from the State organizations, and without any attempt to get that authority."

"The endorsement of the Republican candidate for President by the Progressive National Committee violated one of the fundamental principles of the Progressive party. The Progressive platform of 1912 provided that the selection of party candidates should be made after consultation with the rank and file of the party and in accordance with their wishes, and should not be made by a small group of leaders in accordance with their own individual wishes."

## The August American Magazine.

In the August American Magazine there is an unusual amount of good fiction and a number of special articles and features. Among the short stories are "Zose Bluff" by Sophie Kerr which is another Victor story, "The Nut From Pecan University" by Hugh S. Fullerton, "The Bird-Cage" by Marjorie Benton Cooke, "The Weapon That Cut" an interesting story concerning our Japanese problem by Mabel Abbott, "As a Boy Thinks" by Jack Lall, "Your True Friend, Melissa M." by Dana Gatlin, "The Swedish Reporter's Encounter with Sarah Bernhardt" by A. P. Johnson, and a generous installment of the serial "Between Two Worlds" by Philip Curtiss.

Among the special articles is one entitled "38,571 Jobs with a Poor Future" by James Hay, Jr., which deals with work in the Government service, and shows its many bad points.

"How I Laid the Foundation for a Big Salary" was told to Dale Carnegie by a prominent business man. This man thinks ideas are the biggest business assets in the world.

THE DEADLY TABLET IS  
CAUSE OF BARY'S DEATH

Chicago, July 21.—While playing about her parents' home at 1729 North Mozart street, three-year-old Elsie Gerhardt found some white tablets which her father, Frederick Gerhardt, had brought home from the hospital on Sunday. Thinking they were candy, she gave one to her baby brother, Frederick, Jr., fifteen months old.

A few minutes later the baby was seized with nausea and was rushed to the Norwegian Deaconess hospital, where he died.

The tablets were bichloride of mercury, which had been given the father to use as an antiseptic wash for a scalp wound which had kept him confined in the hospital for nearly a month.

TINIEST REPUBLIC OF  
COUNANI DECLARES WAR

German newspapers of recent date which have just reached New York speak in sarcastic terms of Germany's "terrible enemy," the tiny republic of Counani, or Cuanani, as it is sometimes spelled, which has declared war on Germany.

This miniature republic is near the border between Brazil and French Guiana, situated about fifteen miles from the coast. It is a mere spot on the map, and little

known to the outside world. It received its independence from Brazil in 1886. Its President is a Frenchman named Adolph Besset Beaufort, who has been a Colonel in the French army. When the European war began he enlisted his sympathies at once with France. The standing army of the republic at Counani then consisted of 300 men, and this little detachment was sent to France to fight on the side of the Allies under their flag, consisting of a silver star on a blood red background. Of this number about 150 have been killed. President Beaufort is very proud of his men, and receives reports regularly from his commander in which they are praised for their bravery and recommended for promotion.

That Counani is at war with Germany and Austria has only now been made public, and the German newspapers are very much amused over the matter. —[New York Herald.]

A QUARREL OVER TOYS—  
KILLED BY LITTLE CHUM

Memphis, Tenn., July 20.—Gino Prestini, 9 years old, and Harry Humphreys, 7 years old, yesterday were playmates.

To-day little Gino's lifeless body lies stiff and stark on a marble slab in an undertaking shop, one tiny arm missing and the lacerated flesh bandaged with gauze. His chum of yesterday is confined in the juvenile Court detention room awaiting a probable charge of murder.

A shotgun, obtained at Harry's house, next door to where Gino lived, is responsible for a state of affairs so terrible that seven-year-old Harry cannot appreciate its full meaning. He does not even know his little chum is dead.

According to reports to police, the two quarreled over their toys. Harry, police say, ran into his own home and got the gun while his mother was asleep.

James Wilder, 11 years old, eye witness, told the juvenile authorities that Harry leveled the gun, and when Gino Prestini, an older brother of the dead boy, ran to interfere, Harry pulled the trigger.

Following the shooting, Harry hid in his mother's coal shed, frightened by a partial realization of what he had done.

CUT OFF THE EARS OF  
13 CARRANZA OFFICERS

Chihuahua City, July 20.—"Picked ears," cut off Carranzista officers and soldiers at Villa's order, were placed on exhibition in shop windows here to-day.

Fifteen officers and ten soldiers, imprisoned by the bandit when he captured Jimenez, arrived here last night in a pitiable plight. Both ears of each officer had been amputated. One ear from each soldier had been severed.

The officers and soldiers made their way from Jimenez here on foot, bringing their gruesome relics with them. They made a full report to General Jacinto Trevino, Carranza commander in Chihuahua.

"After the fight," they said, "we were ordered to stand before an adobe wall. A firing squad was placed before us. We thought death was at hand."

"Then a Villista officer passed before us, asking which we preferred—death or to have our ears cut off. We chose the latter. One by one we were seized, bound and laid on the ground. Then three Villista officers with sabers began the bloody work."

## Unconscious Joker.

What the case was about no one seemed to know exactly. The lawyers themselves were pretty well mixed up.

Then an important witness entered the box and was presently asked to tell the court the total of his gross income.

He refused; the counsel appealed to the Judge.

"You must answer the question," said the Judge sternly.

The witness fidgeted about and then burst out with:

"But—hut, your honor, I have no gross income. I'm a fisherman, and it's all net."

## EARS OF ANIMALS.

The ears of the tigers, foxes, wolves, cats and other beasts of prey bend forward, while the ears of animals of flight, such as hares, rabbits, deer, etc., bend backward. This is because the ears of beasts of prey are designed for the purpose of collecting sound; in the direction taken by the animal in pursuit of its prey. The ears of an animal of flight, by turning backward, enable it to hear the sounds made by a pursuer.

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DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging  
Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave  
Up in Despair. Husband  
Came to Rescue.

Catron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without tiring me, and am doing all my work."

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TAKES 100,000 PERSONS  
TO HANDLE MAIL BAGS

All Lines Of Service Controlled  
By New Branch P.-O. Department.

Washington, July 20.—It takes 100,000 persons to care for the contents of Uncle Sam's mail bags. This figure covers the post-offices of the first, second and third classes and includes city mail carriers.

All this vast army was placed under a new generalship July 1, according to provisions of the "legislative, executive and judicial act," approved last May. Fifty-six thousand and post-offices were transferred by this act to a new "division of post-office service."

This organization absorbs several former branches. It is under immediate charge of General Superintendent Goodwin D. Ellsworth, of North Carolina, and Assistant General Superintendent William S. Ryan, of New York.

The new division will disburse appropriations amounting to \$150,000,000 for the ensuing fiscal year.

The total appropriation for the entire postal service for the fiscal year 1917 will be approximately \$322,000,000. Almost half of this is required for work done under the "division of post-office service." It is spent in amounts varying from \$1 to more than \$5,000, and the handling of this amount involves a tremendous volume of correspondence.

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1916, the salaries of over 9,000 postmasters were changed and adjusted, 8,500 carriers and clerks were promoted, 1,400 additional clerks and 1,500 additional carriers were appointed.

The Government owns 411 mail autos. The original cost of these machines was more than \$500,000. The expense of operating them, including drivers' salaries, garages and upkeep, is about \$640,000 per annum, a sum less than that spent for the same service under the former contract system.

Before the organization of the division of post-office service, the various functions of moving mails in cities and towns was managed by two sections of the Post-office Department. The new division includes all the work of handling mails in cities and towns.

## Poor Old Uncle Sam!

Nogales, Ariz., July 7.—Circulars spread broadcast from Hermosillo, Sonora, by recruiting officers, and brought here by American refugees, contain a call to arms.

They are in part:

"No fighting will be necessary. Our brave troops will simply march northward, brushing the Gringos aside, until our glorious tri-color floats from the dome of the Capitol at Washington."

CAN MOOSEBARS SWALLOW  
THIS RAW AGGREGATION?

The sub-committee of standpatters which with autocratic powers is to manage the campaign in behalf of Mr. Hughes and a reunited party ought to make a great hit with the late-lamented Progressives. It is dominated by such well known members of the ancient regime as W. Murray Crane, Reed Smoot, Jaa. A. Hemenway and Boies Penrose. To all intents and purposes, this sub-committee is the Republican party for it possesses all the authority of the organization.

After all has been said and done,

the fact remains that the Progressive movement in 1912 was a revolt against Republican leadership. Some so-called principles were improvised, but the quarrel was mainly an affair between men. We may not marvel much at the surrender by the Progressives of their elaborate program of social justice, but can they swallow Crane, Smoot, Hemenway and Penrose without choking? —[New York World.]

SAFETY IN DEMOCRACY  
NOW DOUBLY ASSURED

Again I ask, what could the people gain by returning the Republican party to power?

With war disturbing commercial relations and affecting the revenues of every country in the world, do they want another job of tariff tinkering, superintended by "Boss" Penrose, of Pennsylvania, who would be chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, and Joseph W. Fordney, of Michigan, who would be chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee?

Do they want to go back to the discredited panic-breeding banking and currency law of unpleasant memory?

Do they want the income tax abolished?

Do they want to turn the Government over in a time like this to men who, fired by political ambition, have viciously assailed Woodrow Wilson for a course of conduct that has kept this country out of the European war?

Do they want "action" in Europe, as many of these men have demanded?

Do they want to trust the destiny of this Republic to the men whose utterances for a year and a half will bear no interpretation but the interpretation of war?

Do they want to exchange prosperity and peace for industrial uncertainty and the dangers of war?

In the coming election the people will again stand by the President. Forgetting their political differences and moved by the patriotic sentiment, America first and party afterward, they will endorse by an overwhelming majority the man who, with infinite patience, quiet courage, and mastery ability, and without the sacrifice of national honor, has successfully guided his country through storm and stress and danger into the quiet harbor of peace, safety and prosperity.

(From the speech of Representative Frank E. Doremus, chairman of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, before the Democratic State Convention of Michigan May 17, 1916.)

Look Good—Feel Good.

No one can either feel good nor look good while suffering from constipation. Get rid of that tired draggy, lifeless feeling by a treatment of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Buy a box to-day, take one or two pills to-night. In the morning that stuffed, dull feeling is gone and you feel better at once. 25c at your druggist.—Advertisement.

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"How do you know, then?"

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# RAILROAD WAGES

Shall they be determined by  
Industrial Warfare or  
Federal Inquiry?

To the American Public:

Do you believe in arbitration or industrial warfare?

The train employees on all the railroads are voting whether they will give their leaders authority to tie up the commerce of the country to enforce their demands for a 100 million dollar wage increase.

The railroads are in the public service—your service. This army of employees is in the public service—your service.

You pay for rail transportation 3 billion dollars a year, and 44 cents out of every dollar from you goes to the employees.

On all the Southern railroads in 1915, seventy-five per cent of the train employees earned these wages (lowest, highest and average of all) as shown by the payrolls—

	Passenger		Freight		Yard	
	Range	Average	Range	Average	Range	Average
Engineers	\$1972 3810	\$2306	\$1455 3505	\$1916	\$1156 2424	\$1566
Conductors	1552 2696	1847	1353 2358	1580	1055 1749	1245
Firemen	943 1652	1209	649 1628	979	406 1302	777
Brakemen	957 1736	1109	755 1854	958	754 1405	990

The average yearly wage payments to all Southern train employees (including those who worked only part of the year) as shown by the 1915 payrolls were—

	Passenger	Freight	Yard
Engineers	\$2144	\$1712	\$1313
Conductors	1723	1488	1157
Firemen	1096	865	688
Brakemen	1013	845	868

A 100 million dollar wage increase for men in freight and yard service (less than one-fifth of all employees) is equal to a 5 per cent advance in all freight rates.

The managers of the railroads, as trustees for the public, have no right to place this burden on the cost of transportation to you without a clear mandate from a public tribunal speaking for you.

The railroads have proposed the settlement of this controversy either under the existing national arbitration law, or by reference to the Interstate Commerce Commission. This offer has been refused by the employees' representatives.

Shall a nation-wide strike or an investigation under the Government determine this issue?

## National Conference Committee of the Railways

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## FABULOUS GROWTH OF OUR EXPORT TRADE

Value Of Same Last Twelve  
Months Exceeds Four Billion Dollars.

Washington, July 20.—The country's foreign trade during the fiscal year ending with last month reached a total of \$6,525,000,000, exceeding by many millions all previous records, according to preliminary figures announced here by the Commerce Department. Exports were valued at \$4,345,000,000, and imports at \$2,180,000,000. The figures are based on complete returns for the first 11 months of the year and estimates for June.

The war munitions trade was the predominating factor in establishing the new exports record. Iron and steel exports jumped from \$226,000,000 in the previous fiscal year to \$618,000,000, and explosives from \$41,000,000 to \$473,000,000. In

1914 the explosives exported amounted to only \$6,000,000.

Raw cotton exported during the fiscal year was valued at \$370,000,000, compared to \$376,000,000 the year previous; wheat and flour \$314,000,000, compared to \$428,000,000; meats \$270,000,000, compared to \$206,000,000; copper manufactures \$170,000,000, compared to \$100,000,000; mineral oils \$165,000,000, compared to \$134,000,000; brass and manufactures \$126,000,000, compared to \$21,000,000; automobiles and parts \$123,000,000, compared to \$68,000,000; chemicals \$123,000,000, compared to \$46,000,000; cotton manufactures \$112,000,000, compared to \$72,000,000.

Principal imports were: Sugar, \$206,000,000, compared to \$174,000,000 in the fiscal year 1915; rubber and its substitutes \$150,000,000, compared to \$87,000,000; hides and skins \$157,000,000, compared to \$104,000,000; raw wool \$145,000,000, compared to \$68,000,000; raw silk \$122,000,000, compared to \$81,000,000; coffee \$117,000,000, compared to \$107,000,000, and chemicals and drugs \$108,000,000, compared to \$84,000,000.

## National Defense and International Peace

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THE United States desires peace, based on justice and maintained with honor. But to insure this kind of peace Americans must know that nations are now defended not alone by fighting men, but by fighting industries.

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They work will be the basis for creating in this country a true line of defense in time of war—the ability to produce swiftly, abundantly and with sustained power all the thousand and one elements of modern warfare. Without such production there can be no efficient army and navy.

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A Comparison of Candidates.

Such a comparison leads to the conclusion that Mr. Wilson is far and away Mr. Hughes' superior in that "control" of the legislative branch which comes from personal experience and actual achievement. Mr. Hughes, when Governor of New York, was much of the time in bitter conflict with his party in the Legislature, and at no one session did he make the record in legisla-

five matters which Gov. Wilson did in New Jersey. As President, Mr. Wilson's record in this respect has been exceptional. We have some idea of what Mr. Wilson could accomplish with a "Democratic Congress" were he to be re-elected. We have very little idea of what Mr. Hughes could accomplish. Mr. Hughes is a very able agitator, but his recent training has been that of a judge, and President Taft's experience did not indicate that a man trained as a judge is at his best in getting results out of a legislative body. [Springfield Republican.]

DEATH OR MUTILATION  
CHOICE GIVEN CAMPBELL

Mayfield, Ky., July 19.—B. E. Choate, prominent farmer and speculator, of near Wingo, gave bond in the sum of \$2,500 on the charge of mayhem this afternoon and his examining trial was set for August 16 before County Judge W. V. Gregory. Choate met Henry Campbell, 28 years old, on the road and offered him the choice between death or mutilation.

Campbell chose the latter. Choate sent Dr. Stanley Mullins to attend Campbell, who declined to make any statement and who is in a serious condition. Choate engaged as his attorneys Judge J. E. Robbins and M. B. Hollifield. Judge Robbins stated that Choate said he met Campbell in the road a mile from home and two miles from Wingo, and that Choate stated that he was going to kill Campbell or maim him, and that Campbell submitted by lying on the ground while the operation was performed. Choate is said to have had a pistol and knife in his hands when he accosted Campbell.

The little town of Wingo, as well as the southern section of the county, is greatly excited over the affair. Choate is considered wealthy, while Campbell belongs to a prominent family in that section and recently married Mrs. Dallas, widow of John Dallas, who was killed several years ago at Dukedom.

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#### ACCEPT CONDITIONS OF COMPENSATION ACT

Which Becomes Operative Aug. 1—Nearly 7,000 Employees Are Reported.

Frankfort, Ky., July 22.—One hundred and twenty employers, having a total of 6,795 employees, already have filed acceptances of the terms of the workmen's compensation law with the Workmen's Compensation Board, and requests for application blanks from 200 more have been complied with. The law will become operative August 1, and the board, having settled the question of rates, is rapidly getting affairs in shape and form, ready for taking up the adjustment of claims for compensation in industrial injuries as fast as they arrive.

The acceptances include eight flour mills, employing 30 hands; seven printing concerns, employing 268; a malt manufacturer, employing 12; eleven liquor concerns, employing 146; six lumber companies, employing 413; two grain dealers, employing 13; five tobacco concerns, employing 462; eleven stores, employing 121; twenty-two factories, employing 3,156; a garage, employing 12; a business agency, employing 21; a concrete concern, employing ten; three contractors, employing 26; two transfer companies, employing 80; one livery stable, employing 20; an electrical concern, employing 15; a carpenter, real estate and glazing company, employing five each; one electrotyping concern, employing 11; two dairy products companies, employing 35; two coal companies, employing 48; two ice companies, employing 31; four mining companies, employing 1,679; and a manufacturer of condiments, employing 10. Three other concerns omitted the number of employees.

Each of the three members of the board will pass upon cases arising in his district—R. C. P. Thomas, at Bowling Green, in the First; S. W. Hager, at Louisville, in the Second, and Chairman R. T. Caldwell, at Lexington, in the Third. Appeals can be taken from them to the full board and from the board to the Circuit Court, which would have had jurisdiction of the case originally.

#### HOPWELL.

July 24.—Mrs. Wash Brown, of the Little Bend, died at her home last Friday morning. She was buried at the Hopewell cemetery Saturday.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. D. Hoggess, of the Rochester charge. She was born in 1860 in Ohio county, near Wysox. She joined the M. E. Church in early life. She was married to Mr. Brown about 26 years ago and lived a consistent Christian until death. She leaves a husband, mother, sister and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

Miss Elizabeth Davidson, of Hartford, is visiting Miss Sally Coleman. Mrs. Ashley, of West Providence, visited her daughter, Mrs. Henry Stum, a few days last week.

Mr. McCoy, of Central City, was in this neighborhood last week and bought a lot of sheep.

#### BEAVER DAM.

July 24.—Mr. J. A. Rogers, of Stone, Ky., has been in Beaver Dam a few days in search of hands to work in the mines in Eastern Kentucky. He says his company can't fill their contracts owing to the scarcity of hands. He left Sunday with 112 hands that he had recruited in this vicinity and will take others.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett McKinney and Miss Bessie Alford will leave Tuesday for Stone, Ky. Miss Bessie will remain in that town a month, visiting her sister, Mrs. Charlie Williams.

The railroad company has completed a concrete walk from the depot to the Tucker Hotel which is quite an improvement to the town. Miss Madge Porter is visiting Miss Annie Barnes this week. Miss Mildred Elgin, of Hopkinsville, and Miss Lelia Glenn, of Hartford, spent the week-end with Miss Annie Barnes.

Miss Ella McKinney entertained Friday evening with a lawn party in honor of Miss Porter, Miss Barnes' visitor.

Mrs. P. P. Walker is very low of stomach trouble. Unless a change for the better comes, she can live but a short time.

Mr. Zeke Taylor, who recently moved to Bowling Green, was in town last week, mingling with old friends.

Mrs. Florence Alford, little son Tyson and Mr. Everett Likens will spend the week visiting in Logansport, Ky.

Mr. Henry Loyall will leave this week for Dawson Springs, to spend a few weeks recruiting his health.

Mr. Ed Porter Thomson, of Muskogee, Okla., stopped off to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Thomson, on his way to visit his father, Rev. L. N. Thomson, of Mays Lick, Ky.

Dr. W. T. McKinney will go to Louisville this afternoon to attend the Dental Association, which convenes in that city this week.

It isn't always because a man is bashful that he refuses to meet his obligations.

#### MCGRADY CREEK.

July 24.—Russell Berkley, wife and little son were Saturday evening visitors in Olaton.

Miss Willard Lambert, daughter of Lewis Lambert, who has been operated on the third time for bone tuberculosis, remains unchanged.

Mrs. Wesley D. Duke and three daughters, accompanied by Miss Jessie A. Hall, of Lottant, Ill., arrived Saturday for an extended visit to relatives.

Miss Eula D. Storms returned Friday to Chicago, after spending five weeks the guest of her mother, Mrs. Alice Hamilton.

Archie Preston, aged ten years, son of John Preston, died after a short illness of measles. The interment was in the Green cemetery, near Fallen Rock.

James Hall will operate a big steam mill at Olaton. The buildings for the mill are being put up this week.

The Baptists of Olaton are having a meeting under the leadership of the pastor, Rev. Ferrell.

The Holy Rollers are in the midst of a big revival at Friedland, with Rev. and Mrs. Hob Fielden in charge. Olaton has a large following of this faith.

Mrs. Flora Burden Allen, wife of Ebb Allen, a soldier now doing border duty, with her two children from Evansville, are at Horse Branch, after spending two weeks at Hade Hurt's.

Claude Hurt has returned from a short stay in Illinois.

Walter Payton and family and Jesse Payton and Bessie Balze will leave to-day for Illinois.

#### CENTERTOWN.

July 24.—Mr. and Mrs. John Lindley, of Point Pleasant, spent Sunday with their father, Mr. H. H. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown, of Point Pleasant, spent Sunday with their children, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ross.

Messrs. Oscar, Cola and Henry James, who have been at work for Bond Bros. in Muhlenberg county, spent a few days at home last week on account of rainy weather.

Miss Georgia Givens, of Philpot, Ky., is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. Lee Warden.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Plummer, of Evansville, Ind., arrived last Friday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Plummer, for a few weeks.

Mrs. Lou Maddox and daughter, Miss Pearl Tichenor, visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nelson, of McHenry, Saturday and Sunday.

Deputy U. S. Marshal J. E. Jackson, of Owensboro, was in town a day or two last week on official business.

Mr. E. M. Davis, who has been ill of biliousness for the past week, is able to be out again.

Mrs. G. W. Rowe has been quite

ill of remittent fever for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Brown, of Rockport, spent Friday with their son, C. L. Brown.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam B. Hill, on the 24th inst., a fine girl—their first born.

Mr. Albert Rowe, who has been attending school at Bowling Green this summer, is expected home this week to take charge of the Walton's Creek school.

#### SMALLHOUS.

July 24.—Rev. and Mrs. Birch Shields were in our midst Saturday and Sunday. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Caz Mason Saturday night.

Mr. Joe Bullock, Mesdames Will Bullock and L. H. Overhults attended the funeral services of Mrs. Myrtle Brown Andrews at Island, Ky., Saturday, July 22.

Two of Mr. Will Jago's little sons, of Owensboro, Ky., are guests of Mrs. Sallie Drake.

Mr. John Edmonson went to Williams Mines Sunday.

Mr. John Edmonson's two little children, who have been quite ill, are thought to be some better at this writing.

A series of meetings is to begin at Smallhouse Baptist church Saturday night before the fourth Sunday in August. The pastor, Rev. Birch Shields, will do the preaching.

Miss Lois Barnes, of near Centertown, is the guest of Miss Ruth Godsey.

Mr. S. E. Hunter went to Centertown Saturday.

Mrs. James Hallows and sons, Samuel, Kimbley, Morton and Mungen, of Louisville, are visiting Mrs. Sue Morton.

Misses Thelma and Emaline Jago, of Owensboro, will arrive Monday to visit their grandmother, Mrs. Sallie Drake.

Mr. Joe Hill and wife, Centertown, visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. J. C. Drake and wife, Sunday.

#### RENNETT'S.

July 24.—The ice cream supper at Edwards Saturday night was largely attended.

Miss Maude Bryant, of Simmons, is the guest of Miss Cora Maples this week.

Miss Irene Hudson, of near Hickory, was the guest of Mrs. William Brown from Friday until Sunday.

Misses Eva and Nora Daniel attended the old folks day at Shinkle Chapel Sunday.

Bro. Collard began a protracted meeting near Rickett's Sunday night.

Mr. Cicero Bryant, Simmons, is the guest of relatives here.

#### DUNDEE.

July 24.—The farmers are putting up their hay now and the crop is fine. Wheat threshing over and the yield short. Corn looking fine.

H. C. Acton has built a new blacksmith shop and rented it to A. B. Wedding and Ad. Chancellor. A. B. Wedding has sold his shop and lot to C. C. King, who has torn the old shop down and is building a new drug store on the lot, which will add much to the looks of that street.

The ladies of the M. E. Church here had a lemon squeeze Friday night at Dr. J. D. Stewart's, which netted a nice little sum.

Ice cream suppers are thick here and some of the boys are donating pretty heavily to the courts for their presence. Some are donating more than the widow's mite, and some are saying "I will never do so again."

#### RAID ON SOFT DRINK STANDS BRINGS RESULTS

Middlesboro, Ky., July 22.—Every soft drink stand in Middlesboro was raided to-day by Sheriff Rufus Wilson, aided by the Middlesboro police force. In the round-up several barrels of beer and cases of whiskey were seized.

At nearly every soft drink stand in the city beer or whiskey was found. Ten places in all were raided. The whiskey and beer is stored in one compartment of the City Hall. Those arrested filed bond and will be tried here Monday before Judge Asher.

The owners were caught unawares this morning, and the news of the raiding of the first place spread rapidly. Men in other stands began to hide goods, only to be caught by sentinels, who had been placed at each suspicious place before the raid was started.

Deputy Collector J. W. Campbell, Deputy Marshal W. E. Garrett, assisted by a posse, raided a moonshine still on Crane's Creek, Harlan county. The shiners fled, but were identified, and warrants were issued for six of them. It is thought this will break up moonshining in that section.

#### HURKE'S BUNIONS ARE CAUSING HIM TROUBLE

Washington, July 19.—Bunions have proved the undoing of J. E. Burke, of Company B, Second Ohio Infantry, who sent to Washington to-day a rather pathetic appeal for congressional influence to secure his acceptance in the regular army, notwithstanding his bunions, which have caused his rejection by the mustering officer at Camp Willis.

"I served in the regular army with the same bunions on my feet," he writes. He agrees to waive all claims to a pension if permitted to go to the front.

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#### ARMY LIFE AT A GLANCE.

Caps worn only by officers. Tobacco issued every week. Supply company never drills. Army rifle weighs 7½ pounds. Four-inch gun weighs five tons. Cold tea is army drink on march. Artillery buglers must know 76 calls.

Each Infantryman carries 150 bullets. Leather puttees are worn only by officers. Artillery has hardest eye test for recruits.

It takes six months to train a cavalry horse. Engineers must be able to tie 48 different knots. Officers pay for their own equipment and uniforms.

Mounted scouts carry pliers for cutting barbed wire. Captain acts almost entirely through his First Sergeant.

Mounted scouts are messengers for regiment officers. Supply company is least armed, carrying only revolvers.

Artillery horse collars are made of steel, lined with zinc. Each shrapnel shell holds from 262 to 285 bullets.

Takes 14 horses to pull a single artillery gun section. Rookies are taught marching commands in three days.

Restaurants are paid 75 cents a day for each man's board. Soldiers are required to sleep from 10 a. m. until 6 a. m.

Regulation shoes are made of horsehide. Are water proof. Corporals and Sergeants are the only non-commissioned officers.

Blotter of artillery is: Horses first, equipment second, men last. Only Bible supplied each regiment is one carried by the chaplain.

Each battalion of artillery carries three miles of telephone wires. No medals may be worn on field service.

Thirty minutes after man applies to recruiting officer he is full-fledged soldier.

"Right dress" means put your left hand on hip, turn head to right and get in line.

Each company has company flag inscribed with regimental number and company letter.

Armed soldier always salutes when he passes United States flag; unarmed soldier removes hat.

Commanding officers give advancing and retreating orders to squad by signaling with hands.

The 30-30 bullet used in rifles have killing range of three miles. Gun is held at 45-degree angle.

"Officer of the day" is appointed each day; is responsible for enforcement of all orders and rules in camp.

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